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Elmwood School
261 Buena Vista Road
Ottawa, Ontario
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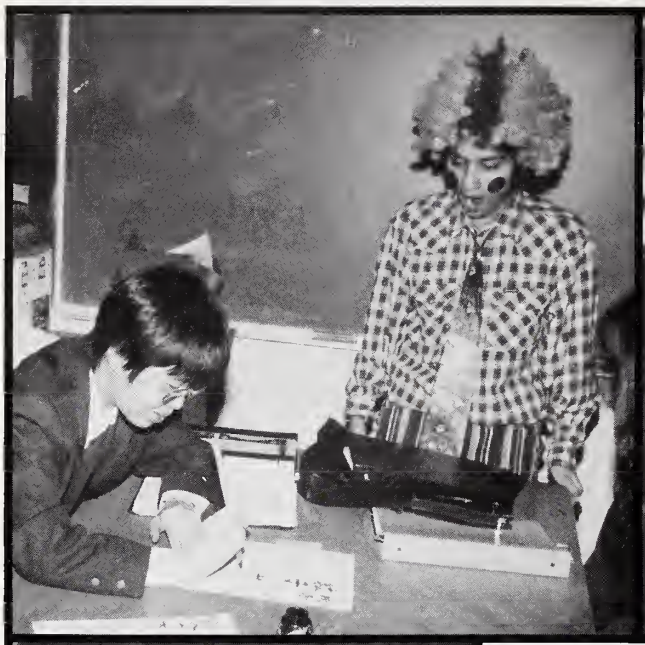
FUN (AND FOOD) THROUGH THE SEASONS

From Top - Right to Left:
The Three Amigos ready for the Canadian Winter??? AYE CARAMBA!!!
Grade 2 ON STRIKE at Recess . . . No More Skool!!!
Tanya Magnus and her new best friend . . .

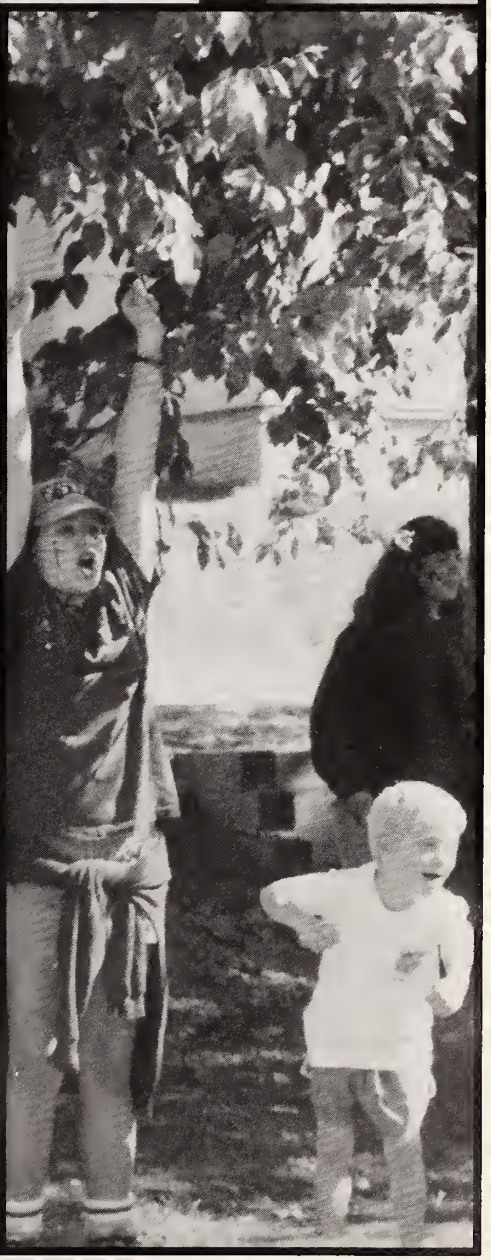
SO MUCH TO DO . . . SO LITTLE TIME

From Top, Left to Right:
Okay Mrs. Wires . . . you can let go of Rebecca now!
Do you really think THIS will help???
Elmwood's way to avoid the Winter Blahs . . . ski on them!



Clockwise from Top Left:
This hasn't been a great day for Monica . . . a Bad Hair Day then to find out her next Art assignment is on Japanese calligraphy!!!
Just hanging around!
A Cruise on Lake Ontario . . . with Grade Seven!!!
Andrea the Avenger.
No wonder Elmwood has a uniform!!!

Clockwise from Top Left:
What a choice . . . Coke & Hot Dogs OR Everfresh & Soup???
Stephanie, are you SURE???
"Honestly the chips are fresh . . . I swear!!!"
"I'm not so sure about this its a big commitment!!!"

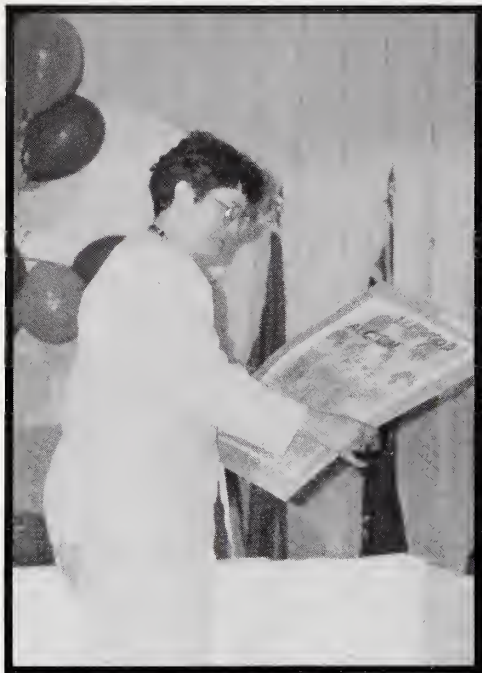


ELMWOOD AND THE GREAT OUTDOORS!

From Top - Right to Left:
Mr. Main explaining the wonders of Calabogie Forest!
Renee and Sandra's special House Games moment!
Our perfect Prefects catching rays on Sports Day!

ELMWOOD SHINES THROUGH!

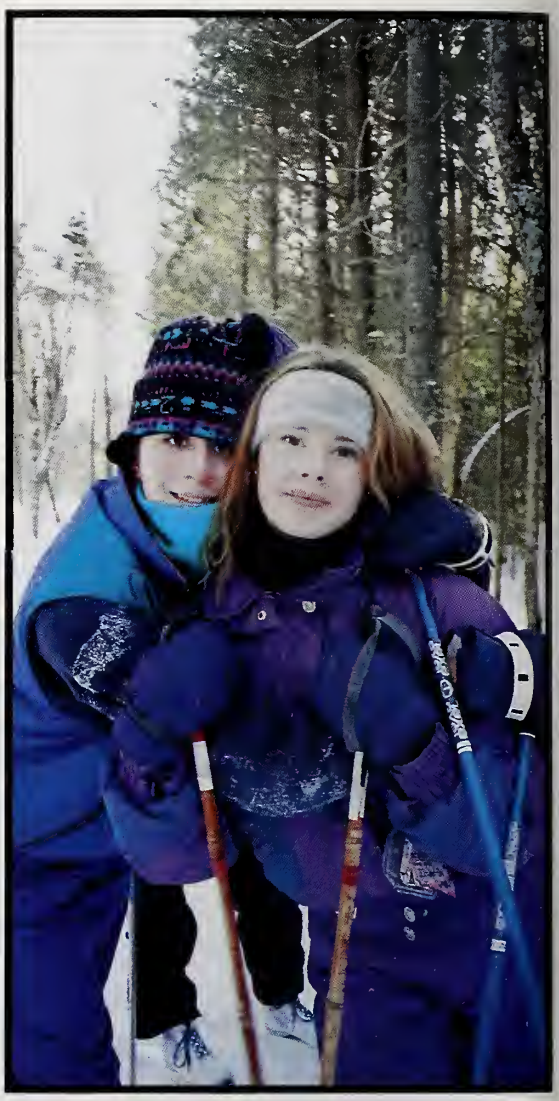
From Top, Left to Right:
The Elmwood Olympic Judging Committee . . . 6.0, eh?
The Grade 7 Clowns!
The Grade Eight "Study" Cruise!



Clockwise from Top Left:
A well deserved thank-you to Mrs. Russell.
Elmwood's little monkies.
This is not a pose, we're standing like this praying not to fall.
Grade 8's having fun at the United Way Fun Run.
Elmwood girls go-a-courting???!

Clockwise from Top Left:
It is so miserably cold, that we can't even enjoy ourselves.
Holding on for dear life.
Bianca receives some emergency treatment!
We're just sitting here, trying to look enthusiastic!
Julie and her blanky.

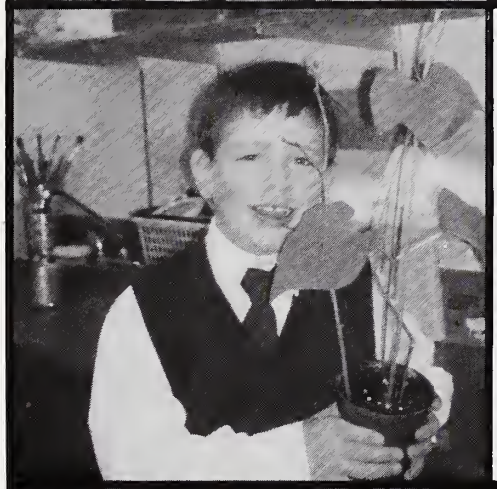
FRIENDS FOREVER



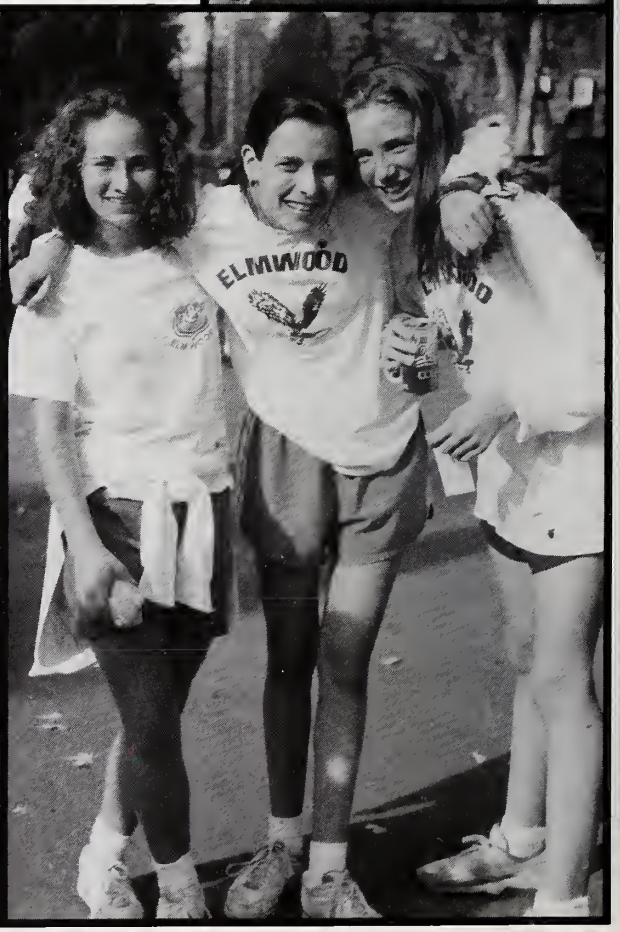
From Top - Right to Left:
Grade Nine's Ski Bunnies
The Private Grade Ten Common Room
Julia and two of her many 'boy'friends

A TIME FOR FOOD, FUN AND RELAXATION

From Top, Left to Right:
Rumours of a new School Uniform are spreading!
Sunbathing in-between games at the Junior Soccer Tournament!
The OAC's perfect man!



Clockwise from Top Left:
Take a break, have a hot dog.
What a day, boy are we tired!
After such a trying ordeal, it's nice to know who your true friends are!
Say Cheese, please!
Man's best friend.



Clockwise from Top Left:
Doesn't that look comfortable . . .
How long can you hold that pose??
Why won't anyone take us seriously??!!
Alexandra Young and Ardyth Correia with their Exchange Partners.

ELMWOOD AT ITS BEST

From Top - Right to Left:
The Common Room's Picasso?
Elmwood's salute to the Ice Capades!
We are a COOL class.

From Top, Left to Right:
The Wonder Years
Say AHH Amy!
True Friends, forever!
Michelle, Can I have a sip of your Tang???

SUMMA SUMMARUM

BOARD OF GOVERNORS 1993-94

Elmwood is a non-profit organization accountable to a Board of Governors. The Board is responsible for setting administrative and academic policies which are administered by the Headmistress, Vice-Principal and Head of Junior School, with the assistance of the Bursar.

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Message from the Headmistress

Innumerable times throughout each year, as I go about my work, I find myself consulting *Samara.*

The school has Samaras dating back to 1923, and between their covers is information on (almost) everything which has happened at the school.

It immediately becomes evident that the Elmwood revealed by these yearbooks has not been a world cut out off and isolated from society, but one which was influenced throughout by contemporary events. This emphasizes the continuing relevance of what is said and done by students and teachers in our classrooms today. Life at Elmwood is vital and lively.

Each Samara chronicles all aspects of school life; graduates, classes, staff, literature and poetry, the arts, sports, clubs, activities, trips, even prize giving. This is a strong indication of a mature and active school community.

Congratulations to the Samara editors and the committee who have worked to contribute another important milestone in the upward growth of our school.

Well done!

Mrs. M. Gundy, Headmistress

MESSAGE FROM THE VICE-PRINCIPAL

All the world's a stage'
And all the men and women merely players
They have their exits and their entrances
And one . . . in . . . time plays many parts . . .
(As You Like It, II, vii, 139)

This can well be said for each student in the passing year. How many opportunities Elmwood offers to each of you for playing such different roles. I am steadily surprised and delighted to see how each student participates in studies, sports and the whole range of undertakings that happen throughout the year from academic, to travel, to socializing, to involvement with friends and worthwhile causes - not to mention just having a good time. And always, of course, there are the roles you play within which you are growing and changing. Not to mention the parts you and your friends play, and each of the Staff, as well as the active parents, former parents and former students, who all help in their own way to keep Elmwood alive and well. How fortunate we are at Elmwood to play so many parts!

No doubt just leafing through this year's *Samara* will evoke fine memories. Thank you to this year's Editors for recording the cast of the past year.

For this year, 1993-94, "Our revels are now ended . . . " and but for this issue of *Samara* " . . . melted into air."

Ms. K. McKenzie-Lawrence, Vice-Principal

MESSAGE FROM THE JUNIOR HEAD

Every school year has so many happy memories that are similar to the fond memories of past years - Sports Days, Junior Entertainment, School Trips, Dog Day Afternoon. However, each school year has its own very special moments. Looking back over this past school year, I think of the remarkable fundraising done by the Junior School for UNICEF and CANSAVE. The generosity and concern for those who are less fortunate is impressive and touching. I think also of the outstanding contribution made to the Junior School by Christina Gandilo and Kathleen Terroux. The Hallowe'en party they organized was truly memorable and I would like to thank them for ALL the work they did on behalf of the Junior School throughout the year.

I would also like to thank the students, parents and Staff who work so hard, in many ways, to make our Junior School such a special place.

Mrs. L. McGregor, Head of Junior School

Mrs. Annette Sally Fearn-Bellamy, Grade 8 Homeroom, Senior English and Philosophy, Stratford, Senior Choir & Quebec City Trip
AGE: How old do you think I am?
SHOE SIZE: 6½ British - this sounds daintier!
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: Closing . . . seriously!
FAVOURITE MOVIE: *Cinema Paradiso* . . . you thought it would be Branagh's *Henry The Fifth*, didn't you?
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: A typical Gemini.
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: Sixteen, again!

Ms. Deirdre Bowers, Grade 5 Homeroom, Junior Music & Math, Director of the Junior Choir, Recorder Ensemble and Club
AGE: Youthful!
SHOE SIZE: Petite!
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: I'd rather not but my Grade 5 Homeroom say I am a great math and music teacher full of fun and surprises . . . I think I'll give them all A+.
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: What I think doesn't really matter!
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: Independently wealthy!

Mr. Ross Michael Charles Campbell, Computer Studies & Art, Jack-Of-All-Trades, Softball team/trip
AGE: Thirtysomething.
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: Opening . . . well, I haven't actually been to one yet but I hear they're great!
FAVOURITE MOVIE: *Aliens* . . . look for the connection in this context!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: I'm married, I don't need to worry about that anymore???
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: Asleep!

Mrs. Julie Boyd, Grade 10 Homeroom, Senior Maths & Physics, Science Club and Science Olympics
AGE: Younger than I feel!

DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Enthusiastic about Physics, Math, Space and any student who works hard . . . and my lovely family, of course!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: It has been known to be so!

Mrs. Shirley Carter, Administrative Assistant
AGE: As young as my tongue, slightly older than my hair colour.
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: The Barbecue lunch at Mrs. O'Brien's Summer Camp. It marks the last day of students in the School until September!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Hopefully my husband does!

Mrs. Carol Clubine, Junior Science
AGE: 29 or thereabouts
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: Half-term holiday!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Do you really have to ask?
YOUR MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Answering the above question!
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ALREADY ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: A book editor reading all the bestsellers before anyone else.

Mrs. Margaret Doetsch, Matrona Doetsch of Roman/ Anglo-Saxon heritage, Grade 9 Homeroom, Junior & Senior Latin, Classics Club & Conference, Roman Banquet & Movie Night
AGE: XXXV and a few months
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: There is little to compete with the Roman Banquet and the Classics Conference!
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Self-confident, opinionated, fiercely competitive and territorial - in short - utterly charming!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: I've been told I have a very cute nose!

Mrs. Jennifer Faguy, OAC Homeroom, Junior/Senior English, Writer's Club, the Stratford Trip
AGE: I've always been 17!
FAVOURITE MOVIE: *A Fish Called Wanda*
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ALREADY ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: Absolutely, without a doubt, an Opera Singer!

Mlle Lise Eaman, Grade 7 Homeroom, Junior/Senior French, Sciences Sociales et Histoire, Géographie, Duke of Edinburgh's Award Program
AGE: Age de la sagesse.

FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: Duke of Edinburgh 'gourmet' campfire meals!
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Losing my skirt in front of the School during Assembly!
COLOUR OF CONTACTS: What contacts?

Mrs. Rowena Gerspacher, Grade 3 Homeroom, Swimming Program, Junior Entertainment
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Happy, sporty, philosophical, Outward Boundy
FAVOURITE MOVIE: *Women on the Edge* (in Spanish)
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Probably to someone?
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ALREADY ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: An Archivist.

Mrs. Nuala Hackett, Grade 7 homeroom, Junior/Senior Maths, Kingston and Wonderland Trips
AGE: Of Majority
SHOE SIZE: Triple the 1st prime # and add it to the 2nd
HAIR COLOUR: Silky Brown
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: I'm mathematical
FAVOURITE MOVIE: The Princess Bride
DO YOU THINK YOU ARE SEXY?: Too personal to be real!

Mrs. Joy Grainger, Development Office
AGE: Yes
SHOE SIZE: Enormous
HAIR COLOUR: Blonde until 28, then brown, then greyish
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Mother, Wife, Ballroom dancer, Gardener, Jill-Of-All-Trades and Master of None!
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Arranging for a Service Manager to make a house call to look at the car only to find out that it was out of gas

Mrs. Heather Hoy, Junior/Senior English, Roman Mythology and the Stratford Trip.
AGE: I look and feel like Methuselah.
SHOE SIZE: Wide and spreading.
FAVOURITE MOVIE: Hitchcock's *Psycho*.
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: The owner of a large orchard in an attractive part of the English countryside.

Mrs. Ann Hofmann, Office Staff
AGE: 20 with 11 other years of experience
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: Selling Muffins!

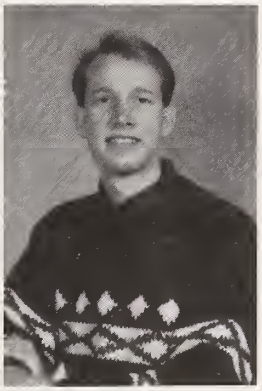
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Gregarious
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ALREADY ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: What's wrong with just me?

Mrs. Ann Hopkins, Teacher's Aide
AGE: As old as my hair, and a little older than my teeth!
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: When I had to tell people that I broke my foot chasing my 3 year old son!
IF YOU COULD DO ANYTHING OTHER THAN WHAT YOU DO ALREADY, WHAT WOULD YOU DO?: I would like to be able to spend all my time making crafts!

Mrs. Brenda Huggins, Grade 5 homeroom, Kingston Trip, Junior Swim Training, Senior Swim Team, Junior Entertainment
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: Sports Day!
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: I would be one of my Golden Retreivers, Chelsea or Chloe!

Mrs. Christine Keary-Taylor, Senior Drama, Fiddler on the Roof Production
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: The major drama production, of course!
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Witty, charming, intelligent and humble!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Of course!
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Being bought by Mr. Knight at the Slave Auction.

Mr. Douglas Knight, Junior/Senior Music and Band, the Wonderland Trip
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Wonderfully funny, charming, an acute sense of hearing, dingly.



FAVOURITE MOVIE: *Jurassic Park,* except that the kids don't get eaten.
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Ask Willie Nelson/Mr. McCabe about my past.

Mrs. Suzanne Knowlton, Junior/Senior French, Golf & Ski teams, Downhill Skiing Co-ordinator, IB Co-ordinator
FAVOURTIE SCHOOL EVENT: Tomato Soup Day.
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Good enough to die for!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: I'm too sexy for this question!
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Morning Assembly the 1st day of Skiing!

Mrs. Kimm Leeman, Junior Science, Textiles Club, Junior Basketball and Rowing Training
AGE: 21, don't I wish!
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: A lover of SLEEP!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: To whom? For why?
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: A fly on the wall.

Mrs. Judith Low, Junior French/Substitute Teacher
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: Grade 7/8 dances!
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Quiet, shy and serious.
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Falling off the chair lift on Pinault.
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY: Of course!
FAVOURITE MOVIE: *European Vacation*

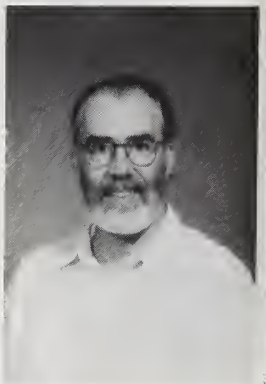
Mrs. Elizabeth Lloyd, Grade 1 Teacher, Primary Studies and Junior Entertainment
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Warm and fuzzy, non-threatening.
FAVOURITE MOVIE: Need you ask . . . *Kindergarten Cop!!!*
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: I've seen it all! I don't have time to be embarrassed!

Ms. Leslie MacLeod, Grade 2 homeroom, Primary Studies and Junior Entertainment
FAVOURTIE SCHOOL EVENT: Advent concert and/or Junior Entertainment
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Oh, please!!!
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: A marine biologist in the Caribbean!

Mr. Mark MacHardy, School Maintenance
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: I'm a people person who loves to laugh at a good joke. I spend a lot of time with my 3 boys doing many different activities.

MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: My 1st day at Elmwood as a cleaner I hit a heat sensor and set off the fire alarm!

Mr. Iain Main, Junior History, Senior Economics & Law, the Calabogie Trip
FAVOURITE SAYING: "I'll be pushing up daisies by then!"
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: When I was a kilt measurer back in Scotland and I had to fit a VERY large lady and I wasn't quite sure how to approach the delicate question of sizing!



Mrs. Nicola Mawson, Teacher's Aide and the After-School program
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: Pajama Day.
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Persistent, eager to listen and learn!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Ask my husband!
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: I don't have any . . . YET!!!
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: I would be taller!

Mr. Michael McCabe, Social Studies, Phys. Ed., Senior History, Senior Volleyball, Kingston & Wonderland Trips, Yearbook Advisor
AGE: I forget . . . the start of Alzheimers???
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: All smiles!!!
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Asking the score of a ballgame, in a very low voice, during the Wedding Ceremony, BUT not low enough as the about-to-become Mrs. McCabe heard me!

Mrs. Sarah McCabe, Grade 10 Homeroom, Junior/Senior Art, Clay Clubs, Yearbook Advisor
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Busy!
FAVOURITE SHOW: Mr. Bean

DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: It's not for me to judge!
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ALREADY ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: A productive artist and satisfied with my own work.

Mrs. Kathleen Mayes, Grade 4 Teacher/Homeroom, 5/6 Social Studies, Junior Entertainment Co-ordinator
HAIR COLOUR: What you see is what you get!
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: A-mayes-ing!
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: Closing!
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: A concert pianist!

Mrs. Verna McClelland, Food Services Co-ordinator
SHOE SIZE: Depends on how long I have been standing!
FAVOURITE MOVIE: *Mrs. Doubtfire*
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: When someone found paper towels in the salad at the Sports Banquet!
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: A beautiful maple tree!

Mrs. Beryl Millington, Grade 9 Homeroom, Junior/ Senior French, German, International Exchanges, Formal Committee
AGE: 31, 32 or thereabouts
HAIR COLOUR: Strawberry Blonde, but I hated it, so . . .
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Incredibly patient, sweet tempered . . .
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: A Formula One Racing Car Driver.

Ms. Danielle Mitra, Grade 8 Homeroom, Junior French, Junior Dance Committee
HAIR COLOUR: What are you implying?
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: I am a sensitive, caring, assertive and confident woman!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: VERY sexy, don't you agree?
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: I am quite content with what I am!

Mrs. Brenda Neale, Senior Phys. Ed. and Health, Senior Soccer & Volleyball (the under 16s), House Games, Sports Days, Sports Assembly Co-ordinator
DO YOU THINK YOU ARE SEXY?: My lord, YES, almost too much for the men at Elmwood!
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: My first year when I told the Soccer team to run down the field full ---(instead of "full tilt")
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE TODAY, WHAT WOULD THAT BE?: A beach volleyball player in California!

Mrs. Penny Monteith, Office Staff
AGE: I'm past the age of 25 and holding at 29!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Of course, but that is a PERSONAL opinion!

MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Not open for discussion.
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: I always wanted to be a nurse, but I do that here, so I guess my wish came true!

Mrs. Elisabeth Morrison, Office Help
SHOE SIZE: Two sizes smaller than a violin case.
HAIR COLOUR: What's wrong with you, are you blind?
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Locking an important boss in his office by accidentally pulling the knob off the door handle.
COLOUR OF CONTACTS: Depends on the weather.

Mrs. Jody O'Brien, Grade 6 Homeroom, Junior English & Phys. Ed., Junior Soccer, Volleyball, Track & Field, Badminton, European Handball, Touch Football, Sports Assembly Co-ordinator, Director of the Senior Choir, Toronto Trip
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Honest, fair, and caring.
FAVOURITE MOVIE: *Sound of Music*
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: Rich!!!

Mrs. Fran Outerbridge, Grade 11 Homeroom, Maths & Math Club, Tuck Shop and Formal Committee
AGE: $6x^2 - 7x - 15$ (x 1)
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Caring, sympathetic, impatient (at times), organized, nostalgic, fair and demanding.
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: All the time . . .
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Too touchy to tell.
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: A Ballet Dancer.

Ms. Annette Rossiter, Business & Computer Studies, Maths, Tuck Shop
AGE: On the bright side of 40.
REAL HAIR COLOUR: Dish water blonde.
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: A fun-loving, used-to-be athletic person who enjoys teaching, being informal and whatever comes my way!
FAVOURITE MOVIE: Walt Disney Film Classics: Bambi, Beauty and the Beast, Fantasia
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: A World Traveller.

Mrs. Darlene Page, Grade 12 Homeroom, Chemistry, Guidance, Toronto Science Trip
FAVOURITE MOVIE: *Jurassic Park* because Science really is exciting, unpredictable and entertaining.
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Not after teaching Grade Eight Sex Ed.

MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Teaching Grade Eight Sex Ed.
REAL HAIR COLOUR: No one really knows.

Mrs. Wendy Ross, Junior/Senior Library Sciences
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: One Minute of Silence on Remembrance Day (it should be longer)
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Librarian - paradoxically I am a very quiet person!
FAVOURITE MOVIE: *The Day the Earth Stood Still* (and quiet).
FAVOURITE SAYING: Shush!

Mrs. Judith Sabourin, Senior French & Spanish, Junior History, March Break Trip to Spain
SHOE SIZE: 9 1/2 or 11
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Of course, wasted asset here, NO!
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Every time I open my mouth!
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: Queen of Spain OR Julio Iglesias' best friend!

Mrs. Viola Schmidt, Grade 6 Homeroom, Junior English & Library Studies, Junior Math, Junior Librarian.
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: Homework
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Tall with black curly hair in a black slinky dress; also there are long black fingernails holding black and white stockings
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: I'm never embarrassed!
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: The best relief pitcher for the Blue Jays!

Mrs. Danielle-Monique Séguin, Junior & Senior French, St. Donat Trip
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: Parents Night: it's a change from always dealing with youngsters
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Stepping out of the car and realizing that I had a hole in my stocking!
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: A catleya (orchid)!

Mrs. Milena Sigmund, Bursar
AGE: Ageless!
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Human Being!
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Likely still to come!

IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD THAT BE?: Retired!

Mrs. Wendy Skanks, Admissions Secretary
AGE: It is a matter of some debate!
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: A Ball of Positivity!
FAVOURITE MOVIE: The Muppet Movie
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: You bet!
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: An Eagle!

Mrs. Lisa Stephenson, ESL Teacher
AGE: 30 - I was always taught to tell the truth!
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Lucky to be living in such a beautiful, peaceful part of the world with a wonderful husband who can cook . . . among other assorted attributes!!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Compared to Woody Allen - Yes! Compared to Demi Moore - No! It's that simple!
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Being questioned by the police while I was dressed like a chicken!

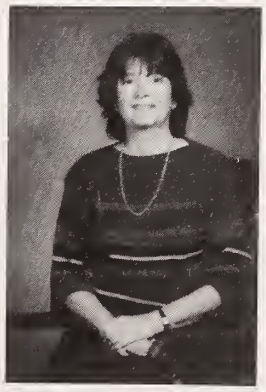
Mrs. Leslie Wires, Grade 7 Homeroom, Computer Studies & Junior History, House Points Program, Valentine Tree for CANSAVE, Cross-Country Running
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: Outgoing, energetic, enthusiastic, spontaneous, happy, lover of Elmwood, wise, lover of children.
FAVOURITE MOVIE: *Aladdin*
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Aren't we all?
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: An Actress - a female version of Robin Williams!

Mr. George Whitwill, School Maintenance
REAL HAIR COLOUR: Auburn - the grey is a silver tint!
FAVOURITE SCHOOL EVENT: Recess - just like everyone else!
FAVOURITE MOVIE: *The Exorcist*
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: Chairman of the Board!

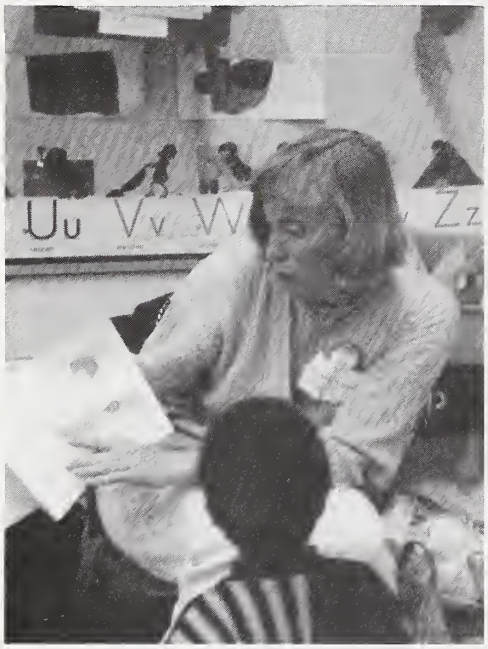
Mrs. Violet Thomas, Teacher's Aide
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: A short, left-handed female with two left feet!
FAVOURITE MOVIE: Any Spy movie.
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: When all the buttons on the front of my dress popped open as I opened the door!

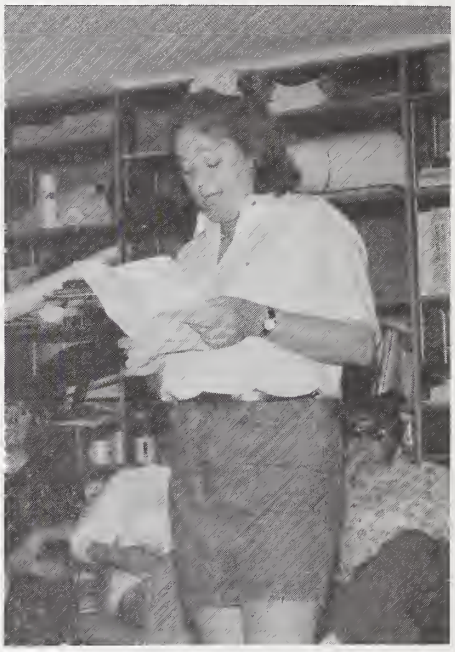
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: Anything, anywhere as long as it wasn't patrolling Elmwood halls at Lunchtime trying to figure out the latest Grade Eight hiding places!!!

Mrs. Lindsay Suthren, Senior Science, Biology and Guidance
AGE: Who wants to know?
DESCRIBE YOURSELF: I try to be as fair as possible all the time!
DO YOU THINK YOU'RE SEXY?: Not at the School!
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Being asked if I think I'm sexy!



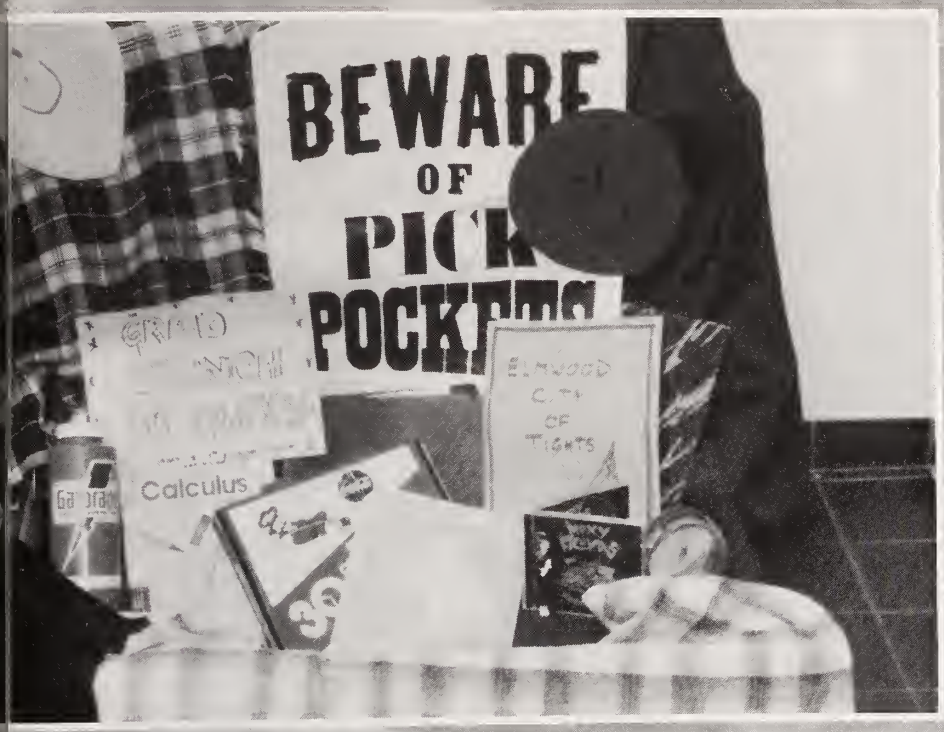
Mr. Andrzej Wisniewski, Maintenance Staff
AGE: Difficult to pin down - I was born on the same day as FREDERIC CHOPIN but I am 140 years younger than he - I am a Pisces!
COLOUR OF CONTACTS: The colour of Truth - but at night they turn blue?
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ALREADY ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: An astronaut or a monk!





Mr. Gary Yates, Junior/ Senior Geography, Calabogie Trip, Junior & Senior Basketball
AGE: 39 and holding.
FAVOURITE MOVIE: *Little Shop of Horrors*
IF YOU COULD BE ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN WHAT YOU ALREADY ARE, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?: A Cheerleader screaming - Go team, Fight team - Go Fight Win!!!

STAFF CANDIDS



GRADS

Cameron Blott
Head of Nightingale

The Ski Queen, The Tennis Pro, Where's Cameron? . . . oh, she's late and another Cameron legend begins! The only person I know who can tell a joke with a straight face. Keep up those wild parties at your summer cottage, and I hope your mom is happy with her lovely family - it's beautiful to see everyone so happy all the time . . . Alex . . . I can't count the number of times I've asked, "Was Cameron here yesterday or was she just late?" Never late for the ski slopes though, eh? Hope to see you at the Olympics some day. I'll never forget Phys. Ed. class, that treadmill and all the blood they sucked out of your finger. What some people will do for their sport! Good luck, Cameron . . . The Skiing Queen! The best on the slope. I hope that you go to those higher heights and, at least, propel your University team to victory! All the best, wherever . . . "And now for the attendance . . . missing Grade 1 C.B.; Grade 2 C.B., etc . . . sorry I couldn't resist - I'm sure everyone else did! Always remember that *all* art is valuable (never let anyone tell you differently!) Besides, how did you say that Hydro dam/Turbine thing worked again? . . . uh huh??? I still don't get it. Remember me when you win at the Olympics!!! Keep in touch and good luck . . . I can't believe you quit skiing! I guess all those years of calling me for homework finally paid off . . .! I never did get to meet any of those guys you kept telling me about! Just remember when you get to the Olympics, my name better be in that victory speech of yours! Good luck, love ya, Kim.

Cameron

Tara Sarita Chauhan
Form Captain/ Samara

Tara, Chain(saw), Almost a decade of our lives have passed at this place. I guess the "group" really stuck together all these years - starting with Chain, Killer, Switchblade, and then EAJ, SACT, The Group of Seven and Anonymous, followed by friends from other places, and finally the "Group" as it exists today! I guess we managed to *shrink* Elmwood a few sizes, Eh? Did we ever dedicate *the falling banister?* Math - "I'm drunk on mushroom soup - I love MATH!" Gym class - cheese cubes (triangles don't work!) My amicable relations with teaching staff! Your song quotes, and J-Man! Endless closings -I didn't know you'd written the science exam! The Classics Conference - Oh yes Aeneas! Close encounters with Waterlooian ducks and their wastes, hope you warned your brother (what is his name?)! Stratford - Woody's, Let them Eat Cake, Encyclopedia Umbelunch, battles over meals. My infamously *short* phone calls (on designated nights!) Can I order a pizza please? What za street? Yes cheerful earful calling. Your psychic abilities and my rocks - who needs a fortune teller? Did you ever find that blond (bald?) guy with the receding hairline? SINGING - on the bus, in the car, on the street (X-mas), and on the phone - Edith, the Well Clad Gentlemen, Moxy, Steve Miller, Sorrow, Sorrow, Sorrow. TKD - the first Elmwood black-belt, a live dangerous weapon! Sean's still scared of you! East Side Marios - Rollerblades $$. "I guess I could Sell myself!" 20 no more, no less! I do NOT like *green* Eggs, or their smell - did anyone turn the oven on? Food fights at the Periwinkle, Vittoria's, Summer School, Nova Scotia. Our humble abode (1 D.Tent) What's that noise?-Ding-a-ling. Volley - "I'm hyper" Want a Blue Lagoon, no, that's Hawaian? Ritchie, Kurt, Kalten, and Shemarr - keep dreaming. Kathleen L. Terroux . . . Can I take you with me to L.A. for protection? A belt to match the clothes! Standing in the kitchen harmonizing (with water) What ever happened to that car repair course? And the OLive Garden? Of course, we could just go back and sing in a frozen food section - at the back!!! Stratford was amazing . . . Front row at Moxy - "I can't believe this line up!" Oh Tara, I nearly forgot - "Can I borrow your math book? I forgot mine at home. Pen? You're too kind! Do you have any paper? Thanks." Remember - Slower pizza's more luscious! I'll be thinking of you (as the ground shakes beneath my feet.) I'll miss you - Trudy . . . Chainsaw, the black hatter, attendance lady, and star of the classics skit ("Oh yes Aeneas") Keep up the music and best of luck at university. Alex . . . Tara A.K.A. Chainsaw - Science Olympics at UCC - the train ride building the lego car! Creative ways of skipping Math I.B. . . . Chew and spew in Bio I.B. Thanks for always writing down homework - how would we live without you! Love Kim (A.K.A. Switchblade!) . . .

Thanks you guys! love ya all, Tara . . .

Catherine Chow
Sui-Sang Program

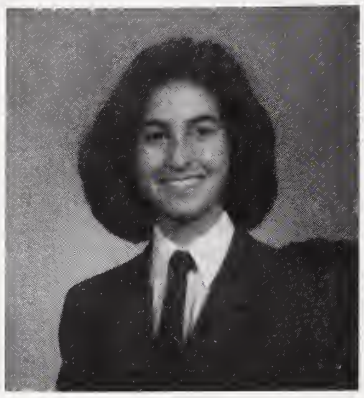
Hopefully that Accounting class taught us more than how to frazzle our brains! Good luck, next year, Alex . . . "The Bar represents" --- is that the bell already? But the "best" class was Math IB - ha, ha, ha - I'm still confused! Anyway Catherine, we got through it! I know you have a wonderful future ahead of you - good luck and take care . . . The day we have both been waiting for is finally here, we are graduating together! You've been such a wonderful friend. I can't imagine these two years without you, but now we will part. Don't forget our 'silly' memories: Night School, Trips to Toronto and California, Karaoke Nights, eating at Chu Shing, seeing the black civic person and his girlfriend at Ogilvie, surprise Birthdays, measuring hair lengths by cm., bringing food for the starving me, watching three level movies, and just sharing time with each other. All these things I will hold close to my heart and I hope you will do the same! I'd love to share the same dorm with you if we go to the same University but we wouldn't get too much sleep! I'll really miss you - always remember that you are charming and special to me. If you ever run into difficulty I will always be there to support you! With best wishes, Luv Agnes

Catherine

Trudy Davies
OAC Creative Director

"Hey, Trude" Remember us little guys from Elmwood when you're famous, eh. If your oral presentations in class are any indication of how well you are going to do at film school, you'll be at the top before you know it! Just one word of advice, stay away from Christmas Carollers! Though you've only been at the Wood for a year, it feels like we've known each other for years. I'll think of you when I listen to Moxy Fruvous, when I see people eating on Mrs. Gundy's porch in the freezing cold weather, whenever I see a Harrison Ford movie, and every time I take a vitamin pill or eat cashew-butter and ricecakes! The best of luck in California, but remember you'll always be welcome in Ottawa in case of earthquake, floods, or fire! "The Group" will welcome you back. Besides you and I have that singing group to tend to! Good Luck in a life of "hedonism," Trude! Luv Tara. Trudy, the only person to succeed in getting me to sing in public. I must admit it was a blast! Except the guy who slammed the door in our face! Those songs you made up for OAC assembly were awesome. Think you could incorporate them into your first big HOLLYWOOD production? Good Luck being a famous CANADIAN director, and can I come visit your huge house in Beverly Hills? Love ya! Kim. My English Tutor - I wouldn't have passed English without you. Love Alison. It's been great knowing ya. Thanks for helping me to do the English presentation. You're so nice and so smart. I hope ya have a bright future. Keep smiling - always, Catherine. Deadlines! Have you got your 12 art works done? It's so wonderful to hear that you got into Dean's Scholar. So, are you ready to head off to California? It's too bad that we can't dorm together, but I wish you all the best! Don't forget our missing key experience! Luv Agnes. The superstar: when your having dinner with Spielberg remember to mention my name! You are such a health freak, but at least you can still go on pill popping while the rest of us are in life #3! Have a wild time in Cali - I'm sure they'll be intrigued by your unique art - Sliced Barbies?! Stay cool. Alex

Trudy

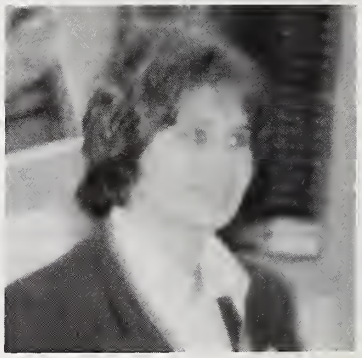


Christina Gandilo
Junior School Liaison

You are my little "Piano Man" - keep up the music, don't be scared of little bugs and buy a Beeper so I can call you in homework emergencies! Hedonism is? Your little birds and Origami are cool but your hair changes take the cake. I'll probably still have my braces in 5 years! Stay cool, Alex . . . Einstein AKA Bert, how am I going to live without you next year? I still swear you are going to be a party animal next year - hee, hee! Good luck in those smart schools - don't forget about us Green People when you're Head of the Mayo Clinic! Love Kim . . . Ah, Christina, stay away from Steve your 1st year at University, and watch out for his evil brother, Mark! Well, Flying Ace #1, Taekwon-Do just won't be the same without you or Natalie. Through both bad and good hair days and even big hair days, don't forget that tigers have claws, elephants have trunks, and you have hands and feet! But what does avis latina, Al, have? J-man will miss him. Moxy, The Lazy Boy, GHOMESHI, Star Trek - these are things that will always remind me of you. If you ever go back to Stratford don't go with Kathleen, I don't think you'll ever agree on a place to eat. "Slingshots and posies" - will you be my keyboardist, Splash?, and the "Well Clad Gentlemen" forever. *The Group* forever. Have a great time at University and don't go too wild . . . Who is this "Steve" anyway? Well, we made it - what are we doing May 13? - a million plans! - more importantly however, what is the symbolic meaning of the word "the" in the following dramatic monologue: "Christina, why are you hiding in that corner? Who? No, she's not out there! Why? Oh!" 'The' TOK essay, well, hey, at least, you've done your Extended Essay - you what - oh! How about them Oscars! --- Thanks for not being disgusted by H. Ford - The Fugitive awaits. Kjetil, on the other hand - and Madonna on Letterman! We need to go back on Trivia Night - then Line Dancing - speaking of Music, how's the Bio IRE coming? Christina? Wake UP! "Once I was the King of Spain!" Dinner in line - let's try to go backstage. Can that count for CAS? - vas ist das? "I can't believe I only got a 99% on that test!" - I'm depressed - remember me when you discover the cure for Cancer and win the Nobel Prize! Good luck - as if you need any - and always keep in touch - who else would listen to my complaints - I'll miss you!

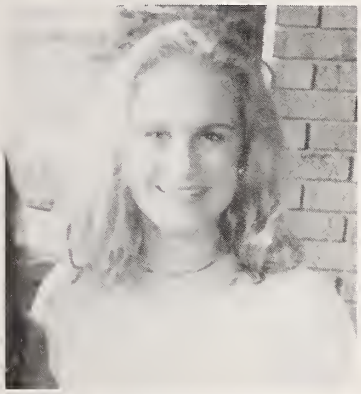
Michelle Johnson
Grad Committee

The Kit Kat monster! Keep on playing trombone - it's the best instrument! I'll never forget all your huge bruises - I don't know how you got them all! I hope you keep on playing sports and have a great time at University! All the best, Alex . . . What can I say besides, "summer soccer"! Maybe I'll see you out on the fields this summer. If not, have fun at University! . . . We are finally outta here! What am I going to do without you and all your men stories! You did a wicked job in V-ball this season - remember - THINK DOWN! Words of wisdom from your favourite setter! Don't worry, tracing little stars is not a skill you will need in the future! Good luck in Kineisiology, and a word of advice - don't take A/G. Love Kim . . . Thanks for looking after me when I was sitting in the Waiting Room - sick as a dog --- and who could forget "mini-golf" with "Steve"? (watching J.J. the Great - ha - golfing! Thanks for keeping the Common Room "noiseless" - no easy task during the IB Orals. Hope next year goes well - good luck! Trudy.



Swathi Kappagantula
Grad Committee

As Takako would say . . . See ya! The big Hip Hop dancer from Grade 12 - I would have failed English without you! Arrested D. kicks - keep on dancing . . . I'll come pour some Yogurt Juice in your Dorm - Yum - Stay Cool, Alex; Disposable H. of HipHopracy - finally, someone else who's heard of them - Remains of the Day - I liked it? Did U2? ha, ha - ok - bad joke, 2 free tickets - we should go more often! But how did you do it . . . problem #15 . . . formula - what formula?, what, your essay? Well, I think you should change this word, and slightly alter this sentence, what, it's really your essay, then it's perfect! Have a great time at PENN keep in touch - TD; Swath, HELP ME WITH MATH!!!, or are you too busy learning lines for the Play? So, who are you anyway, the Grandma or the Matchmaker why can't she make up her mind?, wherever you are, Good Luck and don't worry about Math & Physics . . . TC; I can't believe we are actually graduating! Party-Party-Party! I'm glad I really got to know you this year - it's been wicked! Classics rocks! You cheat! I loved all our Drama moments! Your bhangra and Indian moments! I'll never understand your craze for Hindi and dancing! WOW! We definitely have to keep in touch! Take care - American, love Monica; Do, do, do, Yo donuts! - Hi! My name's Bob - French Homework? Let's run away and hide - being chased by a bulldozer and headfirst with Saj into a snowdrift - boiling McCain chocolate cake -it's a facemask, really it is!, Sarah, sometimes you can be so GULLIBLE!, Mousetrap, "You can't be a sargeant! You're too young!", Cagebirds, "I neva called a spade anything but a spade!", Fiddler, "Reneé, Ya want a candy??", Sneak Tag, Michael Jones!!!, the red statin wagon - driving with an ATTITUDE, mini-muffins, Biology class - eating the sheep's heart - Caroline clearing her throat, Maxine: Reneé cum, Gottagobye! Toothfairy Mahugu!, Pinky: Vivaldi's Four Seasons, Brandenburg . . . Pat! . . . Lean on me but stop tripping me, catch ya, later, to life, to life, L'Chaim!!! RL; Many thanks to VK, RL, NR, SS, CC, PH and OAC for your friendship, support and memories that will stay with me! To ALL my teachers: I couldn't have come this far without you (Mrs. Hoy, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Bellamy you have all been inspirational). Mythri, you are my favourite sister and I will miss you very much, enjoy Elmwood while you can, 'cause it will be over before you know it. *To my Parents:* you have made me what I am today. Thank you for your patience, support and guidance. All your sacrifices have not gone unnoticed! Stay cool, Elmwood, Love, Swathi



Nicole Kilian
Speakers Program

The good times have come and gone, just as the friends. The memories will always remain clear! Thank you to those teachers who kept me interested in my work: Mrs. Faguy, Mr. Main, Mr. McCabe. To Joc - I need 10 pages for all the stuff we've been through: "The purpose of a man is to love a woman.", musical instruments, Days of Our Lives! UN - can we Caucus??? France NEEDS the bathroom. Geraldo! Calm down! Gimme, Gimme someone after Midnight - well you got one Joc, and a good one at that! I love you, Jo, THANKS for ALWAYS being there and never letting me down! Here's to our ranch! To Mommy - you ARE the greatest and best friend - I LOVE YOU! To Dad - thank you for ALL the help with EVERYTHING - LOVE YA! To Marc and Michellie - BEHAVE! Christopher - you hold the key! "Have I ever told you that I _____ _____!" Always. Gee my 'n soen!!! Hi to Elydia, Duane, Seth, Shawn, Brandon, Those in Italy and all those in SA and abroad. Love ya, all. Cheers, Nic XO . . . Wow, that accent - you're from where? I can't believe the whole bike tour had a drink at your house. You and Joc being attacked by a criminal in court - don't worry, Mr. Main will save you! Stay wild and good luck, Alex . . . "The Book is right!" (at the last minute!!) "Oh, we can get together over lunch!" (oops) --- I hope you have a wonderful time in SA! Thanks for the numerous "surveys" and the Common Room conversations. Keep in touch, good luck, Trudy . . . Nic - it's been a long year! Memories: Dunns, Broadstreet, Bistro, the Duke and all those Rugby guys!, Party! You've been wicked! I'll hate you if you go back to SA. Stick around and party in T.O. with me! Remember 98% of men are rotten! Don't forget we bet $100 that you'll get married first! So, don't forget to send me an invitation. We've done so much! There have been moments of "illness", but life's too short to worry! Remember you can look but don't touch, right? or is it vice-versa? We have to listen to Jack sing! Embassy parties, and Lynx games were quite unforgetable. We can't lose touch ever! love Mon.

Keri McBurney
Grad Committee

Yo Keri! I hear you're going into math next year! Party! Can you tutor me? It's been a blast to be in your class and graduate with you. We've definitely had our "Mill" moments! Thank God graduation is finally here! A toast to finally making it! Love Always, Mon . . . Always with the "Flare" magazine! (and the infamous Lizard-shirt T-shirt). Hope your future is more exciting than our history text book! Good luck. Trudy . . . My most dangerous lab partner! Physics 4A - I think that says it all! Fashion talks (you are the expert!) annoying Chem OAC classes, Calculus (I just don't understand!), eating in English, and all your knee woes. Don't crash the egg into the beast, OK? Good luck, Love ya! Kim . . . Its been a looonnnggg year don't you think? I'm glad I had someone to complain to that actually understood what I was going through. Grad committee was . . . an experience?! Without you in it I would have gone mad. Hey - maybe we'll see each other at Carleton next year (that's if we get accepted). Calculus was a wild party . . N'est-ce pas? Luv RM . . . Kermit, my chauffeur, spit absorber, and Economics queen! You truly are a blond headbanger! Things to remember: being loners on the OC, the Zowie walk, the poltergeist locker, Classics chariot race of bouncin' babes, it's the cheeseburgers!, spewing the snacks from my braces your parking meter scam - good music -Jazz Concert!, we are all McDonald's addicts at heart, "What do you mean I have to sit at the front during English class!", the wild Hip concert - uh, I still have Liza's licence, I can't keep up will all your men???, Horses, "Ask Michelle to change the station!"; "How'd you strain THOSE muscles?", "We're just trying to graduate, man!", Woodtuck Loonies???, Kingston, this weekend???, we've got to stay in touch so I can come and make 'Kramer' entrances in your dwellings!!!, "Don't get chased by Montreal Mafia without me!", keep up the Madonna poses, they're good for a laugh, "Let's save the good stuff for the Movies!", Stay cool you. Alex

Alison Meloche
Senior Prefect

There are so many people to mention in such little space . . . I'd like to thank Kerm & Age for all the memories, Caroline & Renée & Penny and the office staff for everything. I would especially like to say good-bye and thanks to two special people: Mrs. Neale who has helped keep me sane for the past 5 years and who has been a true friend, and Mr. McCabe who has earned my respect - thanks for everything sir, I appreciate all the time and guidance that you have given me over the years. Thanks to Damion for always putting me first (I would have never made it through high school without you S.T.A.B.Y.L.I). And of course my family Mere & Beej I'm gonna miss you guys next year - who is going to keep you guys out of trouble? Sue thanks for organizing my room as well as my life. And finally my Dad - the greatest man and father in the world. Thank-you for all the opportunity you've given me - I love you more than anything. Finally I'd like to say good-bye to Elmwood, I'm going to miss you all. It's been a slice!! P.S. THE BEACH BOYS ARE THE BEST!!" Algie, Chris! cheesburgerhead! Things over the years: let go of the Howarth's incident, Karen's SNL 'Oh my God!', our postcard tradition, what's on the roof of Damion's car?, our b-ball team . ., rabbit chasing up the stairs, 90210 updates, criticism - stop, that's enough of that! The smell of my v-ball shirt - HORSES, the suicidal French class! MJ's tan. That's not a real bra! How'd you get that mark on your tummy huh? Your boat? Snuffy for short. Don't touch your belly button - even if you think those white hairs are sexy, CANCUN, your take off seating position ritual. Visit me, good luck, and stay cool. Alex. Miss lead prefect. There have been too many moments to count! Listening to Platinum Blonde songs! Ahhh! You and your brutal sunburns and 500 boyfriends! I can't keep up! Well its been fun partying with you! See you on the Canada V-ball team! Have a wicked trip around the world! Call me! Love Monic. P.S. Sorority sisters forever! "Pearls are congealed oyster spit! (you knew I'd put that in somewhere!) . . . Good luck! Nolite te Bastardes Caraborundorum! Trudy.

Rima Mokhtar
Grad Committee

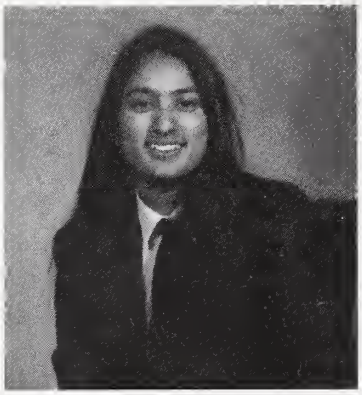
I never thought this day would come, when I'd finally graduate. I wouldn't have made it through if it wasn't for my family and friends. AA, we've had some wild times together, I miss you so much and the best of luck in your marriage. SA, Lisgar was a blast - I'm sure - late night studying - Hull - Why don't you just go ---! Trying to park the car for 3 hours! "Applause". Dave --- Need I say more? PD, it's hard to believe that it's been 5 years already. Take my advice, next time don't pass out near a church. And how about Toronto? LC - Lizard - Mont Tremblant, Broad Street - "I swear I'm old enough . . ." and then being carried out by the Bouncer, Stoneys and Mike, I'll miss you next year --- KL, Poco Hanté, our great fights about a certain someone, all those pubs and remember Italians are the best, American History, Hurleys roof-top and extension hair man, Grad '93 - I'm still sorry I stole your date! - Boat Cruise '93 and the Peach Schnapp stealer, Montreal, CitiClub, Coolers at the movies, all in all we've had a great 2 years! And to the two people that have made my life bearable at Elmwood ---Monica, thanx for keeping me sane all year! Danny's, Mel's and Café Spiga - the awesome looking waiter!, Yucatan's, Café Wim - and Mr. Philosophy - and the best *Merengue* dancer I know! You better keep in touch and stay cool! VBR - all our talks -especially the ones about Aliens --- I'm not a frug face and don't you forget that. When you get married to Tim don't forget to send me an invitation --- And last, but not least, to my family: Mom and Dad - I love you both and thanks for everything you've done for me. MM - I miss you a lot. LM - I know you're going to get accepted at Columbia! Best of luck in Dentistry and wherever you may go I'll miss you! And RM -you still have 2-3 more years, ha, ha, ha! I love yasis and don't you ever turn into a nerd! So here's to all of you and here's to the Graduating Class of '94! My Accounting buddy! Ya, whatever. Have you done your homework? Good, me neither! Why are you laughing? No idea! Rima loves George, or maybe not! You and your big Kanata parties - keep on partying hard . . . I'll come pie you in the face sometime. Alex. Could we just die? I can't believe we've survived the year Rima! The countless trips to Danny's - We own that place! It was priceless! Yucatans, Blue Moon, and Bohemian! What a blast in Ottawa! Survival would have been nonexistent if you weren't here! You're a great friend! I'll never forget your smile, hair and calculus tips! Can I get that without meat? Love ya always - Friends toujours! Mon.

Allison Russell
Head of Keller

Oh Alli, Wally, Little, Mr. Arcularis, or whoever you are, the past 7 years (plus that one day in grade 6) have been great. There are so many memories in the past year or two alone. Bringing in the New Year toning our thighs is right up there with my fondest memories. Don't ever forget summer school, Vittoria's, and, of course, Nova Scotia! that "One Dong" tent of ours (wish you could have seen what it did to the grass). Ding-a-Ling the dog, and *I want to go h— for a walk*! Oh, and whatever happened to that shower door anyway? What were you two doing in there? It's nice to look back and LAUGH! If we ever go back, stay away from the beer, or was it Sprite??? and you'll just have to stay away from my cat-hair-infested blazer and school bag --- I'm glad it's the cat you are allergic to and not me! Forget that malignant tumour on your foot. Thanks for all the parties at your house and for the Black Belt cake, and thank your Mom for tending to my dietary needs while at your place and, of course, great kudos to your Dad for all those hockey tickets. To your sisters, they were good friends, too. Thank you for being part of "The Group". Have a super time at University, good luck and keep in touch! Luv ya! Tara . . . What the heck are they doing in the corner? Hiding from the Big Bad Wolf!!! Thanks for all your help in A & G. Good luck next year. RM . . . The first person I ever met at Elmwood - we've come a long way! Have you got your licence yet, heh, heh! We'll have to go to the Lone Star again - chew - show and share Nova Scotia - have you recovered from Fat Susan yet? We should buy a lobster boat! Good Luck next year, keep in touch, love Kim (PS - your number is always listed for me --- hee, hee!) . . . and the winner is --- Ms. Russell!!! Wow, a trip to San Francisco - can I go to? Murder 101 - How could you guess I'd like P.B.? Ping Pong - just don't put too much weight on that pony! City Slickers here we come - someday! First we should do these practice IB exams - was that a knock at the door? Run --- 'ello! 'ello! 'ello! wot's dis den? a British accent! At least you didn't fall asleep! Stratford, play after play, "And then there were none!" You're very brave with a "directionally impaired" person - I appreciate it! Besides, we were only 2 hours late! The Hot Apple Cider made it all worthwhile. Embarassing photos at the Lone Star - how long was that line-up! and nearly being kicked out of the Westin - at least, Arianna got through - and you know, we were always sick at the same time! Anyway Allison, my twin, I hope you enjoy yourself next year - I'll miss you and keep in touch - Trudy

Kim Schryburt
Head Girl

Columbian, Kimber, do you go to Elmwood? Not anymore! Things to remember: your shelf of hair, how'd you bust your teeth?, you and your Caddy should get married - lest I forget about your Brenty-poo, Brent goes to Trent, NKOTB, you and your Manotick stories, CANCUN, the flood of a storm, almost free sinorita, what's a peso anyway?!, what do you mean a lizard landed on your head?, Moxy kicks, diggida, introducing you to Hull, your kilt has to go!, who kidnapped your bear?, you are the queen setter of V-ball; the Schryburt duel, a look says it all! Good luck next year and thanks for everything. I'm positive you'll achieve more than a sand-shoveller position. Stay cool. Alex. Kim Baby! We are finally out of here! Beer, Fat Tuesdays, McDonalds, Dave *your* lover, the boys from Westpoint, Grad rings, Senor Frogs, Carlos and Charlies, Evan, Your fraternity pledge - will you kiss me? My lion, Biology on the beach, your pineapple drink, post cards to you-know-who everyday, The Ombrelle queen, abracadabra, California Dreamin', lunchs, Good luck next year. I'll come visit you, and remember . . . Ugly Is Good!! Love Alison (Chris) Seven years together! It's been an experience! You've been a good friend. I'll never forget your fajitas, Hull, Million Fundraisers, Classics, Latin tests, Calculus Assignments, and *drag* moments - keep in touch for a long time! Love always, Monica. Hey Head Girl (I guess no one knew of your secret life as "Switchblade" when they elected you, eh?!) You've survived 7 years here at the Wood, and look what they've done to you - turned you into a studyaholic! Take a break (and I mean longer than Saturday night with Brent.)! Try scheduling in a non-scheduled week, and I'll try doing the same! Don't let anyone find out about that NKOTB phase, it might prove dangerous! Have a blast at Queen's! Dr. Schryburt, eh? Hmm? I'll just stick to Chainsaw! Good Luck, Kim! Tara.



Monica Singhal
Head of Wilson

Stay away from any Fiddlers you should come across in the near future. Drama was just TOO much this year. I want to burn that house-on-wheels. Speaking about Fiddler, the word tradition comes to mind. International Night was one of the best traditions you started at Elmwood, and I hope it will continue with the success that it has known in the past. Good luck next year, and try to be good (no more sneaking off on Drama Trips and coming back at 4:00 AM) Tara . . . Have my people call your people and we'll do lunch! Thanks for the extra, extra large pizza and for the body in the closet (unlawful entry) The 'Led Zeppelin' is definitely better than the brick wall. Give me a hand! Keep in touch and, never forget Ottawa's highlights: Hull, Canal, Elmwood, Rideau Centre and me! Trudy . . . Are you SURE you finished your YD course? Check your shoes, I think there's some lead in them! You did an awesome job with all those Spirit signs - some of them still amaze me! Keep throwing those parties - you are really getting good at the hostess thing! Whenever you go back to Egypt to find all those long lost treasures be sure to bring me with you, OK? Good luck, and don't have more than ten boyfriends at a time! Love ya! Kim . . . Barbarona from Zutar, you are my mentor! We have been through everything together! Things over the years: your daily pony-tail and glasses, Sakiko you're so beautiful!, skiing over your skiis in St. Donat, MJ's tan, your fabulous French braids, International Nights, we ARE the OWNERS of the WOODTUCK dynasty, a simple yes or no would be sufficient!, MOXY rules, Zeppelin kicks, Leonard at the NAC, you and your pasta, the coin in my cupcake, our episode at Zak's, housemusic, first Rob then Stevenson - Whoa!, the Gravitron Experience!, discounts at the Sal, my mother - enough said!, being mermaids in your pool, your rickshaw buddies, cranberry juice just doesn't cut it!, who's got the CONCH?, you hang out in cemeteries checking gravestone temperatures?, uh, isn't that your fourth time at the bathroom?, you're a Picasso at heart, thanks - I love having my braces etched into my cheeks!, and then there is the new friend Mike! Good luck at whatever your freaky mind decides to do. You are a great friend. Stay in touch and stay cool. Remember, a look says it all! Alex

Jocelynne St. Jacques
Head of Fry

In the 7 years I've been at Elmwood, I've learned a lot about people and life, especially this last year! I want to thank Mrs. S., Mme Knowlton, Mme Mitra, Mme Sabourin, Mrs. McRae, Mrs. Faguy, Mr. McCabe, Mr. Main, Gisèle and Verna! To Tara, I'll never forget our island incident, Movie Night . . . "Can you pause the movie Tara, I have to go AGAIN!" How about that PC Ice Cream Tara, Yummy! To Stephanie A. - the longest friendship I've ever had since grade 7! Wow, remember our grade 8 French project - "La revolution." How about the laughing fridge, sans J-sox, "Je peux te voir dans ma télévision, which team is les Canadiens? Yeah, they scored! Stephanie, that was the wrong team!!! To Nicole, the best friend I've ever had. I'd trust you with my life! You've always been there pour moi. I have so many memories that I'll cherish for life! "Joss, do you like animals?" Hey, Niki, here is a rhyme for ya, "She sells sea shells on the sea shore." Hey, Nicole, let's bring in the New Year with exercise, "one more, two more." Nicole here's a punch line to remember, "the good, the bad and the beautiful." Our dream ranch, always hope, always laugh! You're the best. To Mike, just one thing, "grand, grand comme le ciel" pour toujours!! Maman, you're the best mom in the world! Thanks for driving me to School every day and putting up with my wonderful moods. Papa, merci pour tout. Tu as travaillé tellement pour nous! Tu es le meilleur! XXXOOO. Ti-Bea bonne chance à l'école et travaille fort. Mrs. K. you're great! Thanks for everything! Je vous aime beaucoup! . . . I want you to think back - you were 16, you were on an island, there was a noise and an odour, a voice crying, "*$#&! I'm 16 years old and I ---" I think you remember the rest! We had a blast though, didn't we? Your cries of, "I need a man" and "O Canada!" Snow-football. End of term. *Pump Up the Volume* and *The Doors*. Bread Machines and all. It's been fun. Good luck in your future endeavours!

Kathleen Terroux
Junior School Liaison

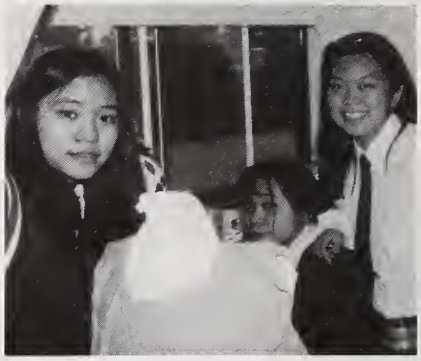
The Founder of our beloved EAJ - it worked! She left! Anonymous letters - did you do any work that year? Tremblant . . . oops, there goes my camera into the lake! Your Dad's driving technique is unique! Chem labs and all sorts of dangerous chemicals buried in our kilts . . . we're lucky they didn't disintegrate! Love Kim (aka Switchblade) . . . Kathy-Lou, you cheery earful. To shorten things up, here are a few words that should trigger some memories: Moxy Früvous, Ghomeshi, Murray, Car accidents, Summer School, Vittoria's, Milano's, "What's a street?" East Side Mario's, Rollerblades and "I guess I could sell _____." Shifting gears (no more pennies)! Looking forward to my $100 cheque and tub of water. 20* a sure cure-all! "Who turned on the oven? It's cold." . . . Let them eat cake. Never go to Stratford with Christina! Keep away from hungry swans. Encyclopedia Umbalunch. Classics and the Duck and, of course, the MUD. Your cottage at the lake. Getting there. Swimming in 10° C water. Brrr. Our collection of songs. Cheers. Edith Bunker. The Speaker Phone - sing on, Killer. SACT. *Pump Up The Volume, The Doors*. Nova Scotia. "One Dong Tent" Blue Hawaiian. Beer (not for me, thanks!). Vodka/Sprite. Ding-a-ling. That SHOWER. Video stores Hang Out. Video Card collection. "I'm really 18!" Grad kilt. Peanut Butter Nanaimo Bars and EGGS (they've been there since I've known ya!) Telephone on week days! So are we going to take good advice and see that shrink? maybe we can get a good group rate like at the wart removal clinic! Hey all I can say is "GOOD RIDDANCE!!!X2" Thank your Mom for always feeding me, and your Dad for driving us to the lake! Thank you all for letting me live at your house on weekends, and for the parties held chez vous. My final words should trigger the best memory --- "The Group". I'll miss ya. . . "No sense crying over spilt water." (but 3 glasses? We must have used an entire tree!) "We have to go out!" I wonder if all the sugar packets have been used yet? Stratford will never be the same, again! Neither will I, after that Casino night - "Hit me!" (now I'm addicted - those T-shirts were pretty cool!) - not to mention the car in the Lobby! Shall we watch a movie! starring Harrison Ford . . . Kathleen is out like a light! Caroling kept us awake though - 400 pages of "The First Noel" later (printing out all those copies). Kathy with a "C" or a "K"? Anyone for a game of roll-the-volleyball/ping pong? But the most memorable event of the year was finding out that you share a B-day with the *great* Alan D. Martin. Catcher played her role perfectly! Thanks for the long phone calls and the Friendship Bracelets, I'll miss you next year! . . . Hey, its Cathy the Ghost/ Big Susan in a nightmare/ One day we'll get organized and I'll get my own water bottle! Alex

Alex Woloschuk
Sports Captain

What ever happened to A.J.? Incredible House Games announcements and Green Eggs and Ham! T.C. . . Our fight about George - Miss Popcorn says there's a million things you can do with pets! Miss you, R.M. . . Zeppelin rocks, Classics dance, all your perms, braces, bruises, heartaches, spits, laughs, wild sneezes, unfunny jokes, unorganized Kingston trips, lost parents, and moccasins. Gravitron, cranberry juice, Hull, sketchbooks, and WOODTUCK. Friends forever, M.S. . . Ogdensburg - no thanks! Stephen King, great giraffe, Mr. Bean, and yogurt! Good luck, T.D. . . Keri? HIP HIP! New Zealand kicked! A.R. . . Ager, Pagie, Magie, Jesse - shirts in Howarths, this is me in grade 9 baby, YOUR BOAT? history of McD's, it was the cheeseburgers! your France Dance accent, SNUFFY for short, we didn't start the fire, MOXY, CANCUN, Carlos and Charlies, Christopher, Frank, Dave, Wes, Mike, Soap Opera Evan, Tom, Ben, Will etc., shooters, beer, "Don't worry, she's with the nicest guy you'll ever meet!" Dope! Whoomp there it is . . . hit me, I think he's looking at my sirotilc. Iguana Wana, melted cheese? I saw the sign, No, you put sunscreen on her back, ocken Bostoners! Alehandra, a proud Canadian, the Devil, Happy Hour, week two = tap water, salad, ice cream, free taxis, where's the party tonight senioritas? almost free, Edgar at Splash, Calinda Bell Boys, cold Air Transat; I'm gonna miss you and the food you sprayed me with! Love A.M. . . (Chris) Baby in the bus stop, teaching you math, are you illiterate? flying kilts, it's always a bad hair day, volleyball, blocking queens (remember my trick Renée) serving heads, Nova Scotia - the Princess Bride, killer lobster boat, wild horses, Big Susan, pornography video? Mexico, where's Dave, I want . . . HIM! kettle of noodles, Harry Connick Jr., your drum, King of Spain, Ottawa - William Street Café, driving to Hull - they didn't move the strip did they? YUK YUK's, Senator's coach at the DQ - SP You don't like nuts? there go my plans for the evening! You're an awesome friend. Hope you can mail me those Easter Eggs! Love K.S AKA . . . Going from OZ-NT-FG-MCC-E-SP-JB - name your child Mercedes? Thanks to Mrs. Heacock and the McCabes. For all you Elmwoodians, it's survival of the fittest, and we're fit. What did the fly say after splattering into the windshield? I wish I had the guts to do that again! ALEX

Agnes Wong
Sui-Sang Program

Agnes, I can't believe you took Art and Economics I.B. - crazy! Maybe someday we'll know why we suddenly started laughing in Accounting. Good luck in university. You'll have a party, I'm sure! Alex. "Dear Dung Tran's friend" where *did* we put those car keys? (I still don't think they should have kicked us out just because it was 6:00) That coke can/ Dr. Seuss is the best, but, what can I call this collage? ("How much rubber cement are you putting on that? Oh. Are you sure that's not too much? O.K. if you think you need all that!") "Sleep? Ha Ha Ha. to Ashbury . . . yay, We still have to have Dim Sim (in Hong Kong? I wish.) Reroute via Monaco seriously! See you in L.A. Keep in touch always! Good luck! Trudy.We are friends almost two years. I'm glad to meet ya. Remember, first day of school, we wore same kind of dress. How surprise! We always meet each other wherever we go. (Montreal, Chinatown, Bayshore . . .) We both have same hopes - getting slim!!! But, we both give up when the lovely food is in front of us. Don't you remember Chinese Buffet House, the first time driving on highway, to have our lunch and it made us so full. I would like to record some special moments between us within two years - We went to Chinatown by #11 bus for two hours - too slow. We saw movie stars in Melrose - why don't we take a picture with them - so stupid. You ask me to have some coffee to make me wake up - finally, even more sleepy. Just decided to go to Chu Shing or not, we spent two hours to discuss in car. To see an exciting moment through Fu Shing's window. Wherever you saw a black civil car - TURN BACK!! You're such a good friend of mine. You're so sweet, so nice, just like honey, I would like to thank you for your kindness and help. However, I don't know where I am going after graduation, but I will miss you. I hope our friendship be stay forever! Remember! You promise to draw me a picture (for memory)! Love ya always, Catherine.



SENIORS

GR. 12

Back Row, Left to Right: Mrs. Page, Sarah Glinski, Susan Kes, Dena Roberts, Sarah Mayes, Amanda Sumner, Susie Herbert, Vanessa Brandt-Rousseau
Front Row, Left to Right: Natalie Gandilo, Merry Gani, Caroline Ashekian, Vicky Kellett, Polly Chu, Reneé London

Loser Theorem F=R/N . . . F=L therefore, R/N=L. THIS IS YOUR GRAD TOO! Look *@!* Michelle, *!@! I don't need this *!@!. Babe, you're so beautiful, talented, I love you Gawd - I miss Canada so much! KLKM. Mahjongg Club (President: Vanessa). He charged you what (gas money)! Those grade twelves miss me so much. Why not, Renée? (Personal space). Everybody knows BRANDY and GIN don't mix. Death is a career move. (Man with a hairy back BONE-OH). Loser aka BECK aka Maryam (Robert Smith need a comb - BAD). How far to V.C.C.? You girls are young . . . 1/2 an hour@. What in tarnation is that hunk-a-concrete? (CN-Tower). The plane burst into flames and the bird went tweet (Colleen). Breakfast movie club (Susan/Natalie). Sarah where are the keys? Robin where are the photocopies? Susie where are the keys? John Burkitt - stretching on the boat. J.B. + L.E. RELAX - IT'S PANAMA! Anyone want a cookie - bring the box! Screech the Afro Drummer. Bingo Lady. The ULTIMATUM - No Wonderland - No Grad (DIFFUSE! DIFFUSE!) GLOW - gorgeous ladies of Wrestling (Natalie and Vicky) - Have you paid Spike and Thrasher yet? Now where did that metre stick get to? (Look skyward!) Pushing up the daisies. "I'm sorry girls - that just doesn't cut the mustard!! Celebrate good times they're GONE! HALLELUJAH! HALLELUJAH! OFF-KEY! OFF-KEY! Do I detect a frown - turn on a smile. Robin - the rug! Where? Where? To hell with Waldo - Where's Mikhela?

GR. 11

(Back Row - Left to Right): Mrs. F. Outerbridge, Sarah Zollinger, Véronique French, Jehanne Jooste, Sandra Quiros Navas, Kathleen Lau, Monica Agarwal, Caroline Dawes, Polly Tam, Jacynthe Barbeau, Juliette Gundy (Front Row - Left to Right): Nancy Schryburt, Laura McCormack, Hanna Ikeda, Johanna Bon, Maryam Kavehrad, Jenny Fannin, Katherine Taylor, Absent: Jenny Tam

grade 11 what a magnificant year. knda. well . . . uh . . hummm. what to say, what to say. numero uno, thanx mrs. O. now, its kinda hard to sum up 9 months in just a paragraph (or 2), well since i cant even remember what i had for lunch yesterday do you really expect me to remember september? let all clear up a little point before i finish this little thingy-magigy, i'll say it plain and to the point: yes, i sarahZ. lost the last write-up. so to all of you who were expecting the other one (most likely to be . . .) ha, ha, . . . SURPRISE!!!

before i go, to all of you that read this from top to bottom, a few words of wisdom from moi the great ME. starting now: first God, then others, then yourself; an apple a day keeps the doctor away; don't smoke it's BAAAD; practice what you preach; eat a high fibre, low fat diet (sounds mighty racy); its best to be insane in the brain first THEN in the membrane (va va va Voom); even a taylor is entitled some happiness (that's true!); stop the insanity, my, o.k.; the apple don't fall far from the tree; stick to what you blieve in (jolly beneficial advice, huh?); practice what you preach (it deserved to be in twice, actually i forgot but . . .); math day should be every day; be your self, its the best you can be (vere did zat cum frum?); out out damned spot (macbeth): you are what you eat (no joke boneheads.); try to keep all your clothes clean and tidy, everyday; kool-aid, it makes being a mom just a little bit easier; only at your local chevrolet dealer; pepsi max, all the taste 1/3 the calories, what the heck am i doing!!!??!!?!?;;;':??-=-Q::??? wasn't that fun! sorry, fun with punctuation. anyway yadda, yadda, yadda. sooo . . . oh . . oh . . . oh i just heard the best and last piece of info. don't eat yellow snow (from my brother) hee, hee, hee, giggle, giggle, teehee, hee. (cover the face [well mouth while giggling] and smile innocently here.)

i just thought of the only thing you will truly EVER need to know . . .

CHILL MAN.

GR. 10 McC

(Back Row - Left to Right): Genevieve Barbeau, Mrs. S. McCabe, Alicia Robinson, Diana McBurney, Shannon Hancock, Helen O'Leary, Himali Katugaha, Tara Huckvale, Megan Dykeman, Natasha Kyle (Front Row - Left to Right): Anne Meredith, Andrea Mendell, Meera Ruparelia, Nina Aggarwal, Carleen Nimrod, Erin McCloskey

GR. 10B

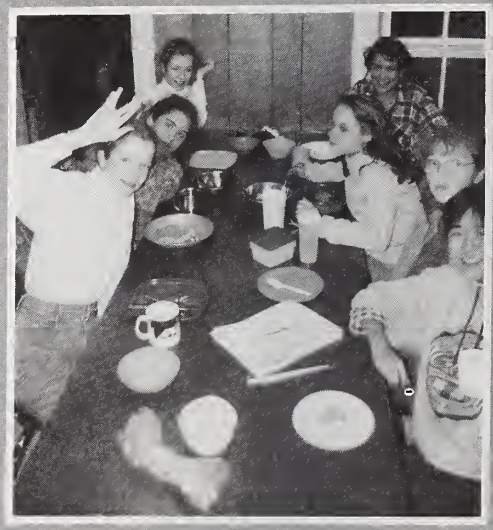
(Back Row - Left to Right): Mrs. J. Boyd, Bianca Brandt-Rousseau, Caroline Richards, Alexandra Young, Andrea Taggart, Amy Marett (Front Row - Left to Right): Jennifer Haughton, Rana Mokhtar, Julie Glazier, Kate McCloskey, Adèle Dupont, Erica Morris Absent: Sally Crate, Andrea Gilpin

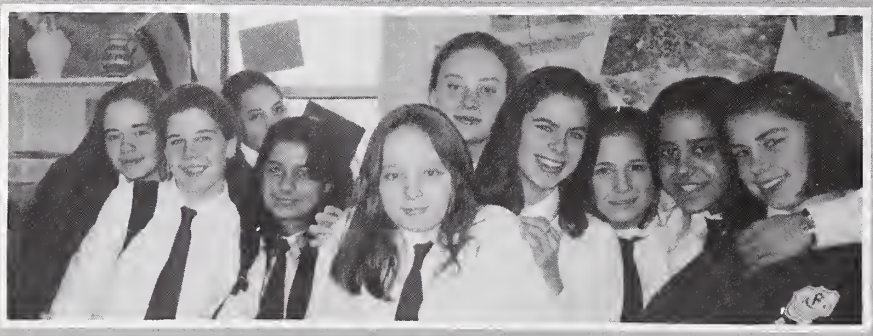
Well, 1993-94 has been an excellent year with all the grade 10s VERY involved and committed to the many different activities - clubs, teams, trips, exchanges, Band, Choir - and the memories will NEVER fade: "Apple . . sweet . . bubble gum!"; "what's that you say . . a red chair?", the blasting tribal music; Andy's outbursts in Science class; "Sluff Off, Erin and Nina, give somebody else a chance . . ."; Bianca and the pussy cat; "Sally what happened to your hair?"; "Sorry about your dress Mme Millington, the bucket of water was meant for Caroline!"; snowboarding; "You should know better than to swing on chairs, Genevieve!"; Cedes, Diana and Dr. Sbaitso; Saturday detentions from Stratford; "Carleen we didn't expect you to GET CAUGHT chewing gum in Math class!"; "Pull the string, Jennifer, pull the string!"; "AAAHHH, pea soup!"; "See you in the Olympics, Helen."; "Drudge will always love you Sarah!"; "Megan, did you ever know that you were MY hero?". . . Sally!; some of you may remember our friend SPLINTER; "Alicia, are you bonding again?"; our food fights in the Lunch Room; "Get with the 19th Cen, hun!". . . Rana; "Bonjour, ca va . . . Bianca"; Natasha and Adele and the sharp blades of electrical fans; "What's this obsession with happy pills and Prozac?"; boxing lessons for Shannon; "Honest Mme Sabourin, her name is ERICA not Emily!"; "She's trying to kill me with her death breath!"; "Next time go for blonde, Julie!"; Cherry Rolaids!!!; the Scorpion family living in the Locker Room; "Ich Mochte . . ."; "M.C. Tara with the oversized jogging pants . . .; "We are priviledged to have Shakespeare Jr. among us . . ."; "Big Red, can you teach us the breast stroke?"; "20 Verbs!!!"; double chocolate muffins; Caroline's grease-mop bag; "does a blue plastic rack remind anyone of anything?"; REMEMBER, whenever there is school there will always be Coca-Cola/ Homework!!! See ya, Natasha and Caroline

GR. 9M

(Back Row - Left to Right): Amira Bada'an, Sharon Lazier, Catriona James, Mieko Matsui, Ardyth Correia, April De Vries, Lauren Ehrenworth, Vanessa Quiney, Feranza Qadri, Katie Lazaro, Mrs. B. Millington (Front Row - Left to Right): Elly Tam, Samantha Barrett, Liette Berube, Litharitza Vakopoulos, Hiroko Yoda, Olivia Waters, Akiko Suda

Olivia: "Haram" "Manuli" (now I can spell)
Litharitza: "It's a why bother question both ways!"
Catriona: "Hey Vanessa . ." "What? . . . nothing"
Ferzana: "Why miss the beautiful colors of the rainbow looking for a pot of gold?"
Hiroko: "It was a long three years, bye-bye."
Mieko: "Bonjour, Konnitchiwa Elmwood!"
Samantha: "I don't put chemicals in my hair . . ."
Elly: "Sir . . I don't understand."
Lauren: "He's a smuck."
April: "Thanks for coming out."
Akiko: "Nice to meet you everybody."
Vanessa: "Why don't you guys go back to the circus you came from."
Katie: "You only live once, so have fun and remember, reality bites."
Sharon: "Scratch it"
Liette: "You only live once, dare to be different and try new things."





GR. 9D

Back Row, Left to Right: Mrs. M. Doetsch, Jessica Bayne, Tanya Magnus, Sonya Arora, Elizabeth O'Neill, Dawn Tyler, Carrie Miller, Julie Young, Christina Quiney, Miranda Young First Row, Left to Right: Isabelle French, Jodi Roche, Colleen McManus, Meredith Meloche, Nana Karina Kwofie, Amy Throop, Whitney Jones

"What can be heard in 9D's homeroom"

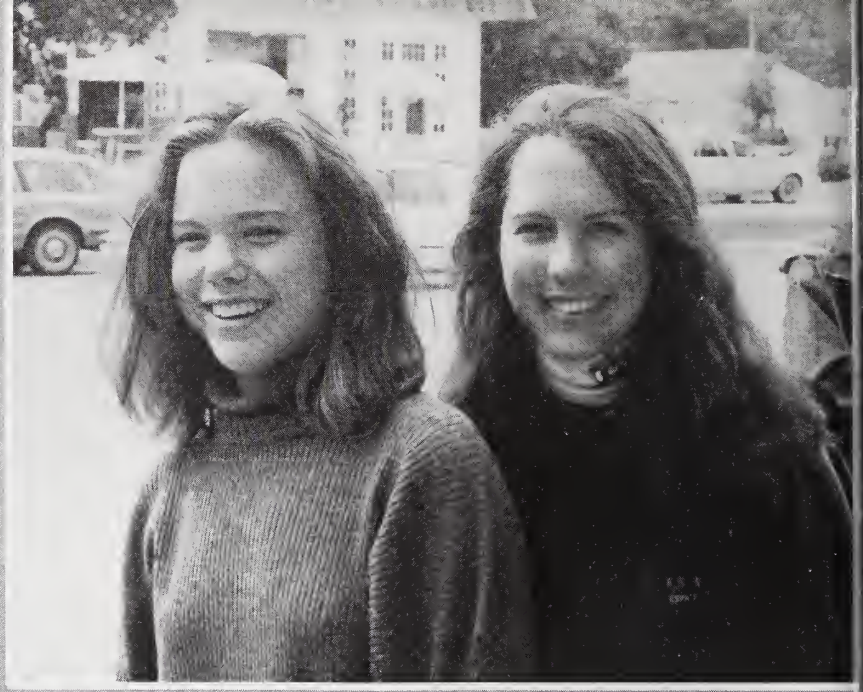
Sonya - Oh dear!
Isabelle - Let's finish the writeup
Whitney - I'm having a hernia
Nana - Clap on, clap off, clap on, clap off, the clapper!
Tanya - It's a perfect day to go skiing
Colleen - I love people and I'm proud of it
Meredith - I just had another meeting with Ms. M.L. (again)
Carrie - Come get a muffin with me
Elizabeth - Of course I did my homework
Christina - Nothing gets by you
Jodi - Oh, my!
Amy - Mrs. Doestch, it's not my fault that I'm late
Dawn - Hey guys check out my new pictures
Julie - Will you be patient? Will you stay a while?
Miranda - I love scarrios
Jessica - *$&#(+
Mrs. Doestch - Girls, we only have a quarter of an hour!

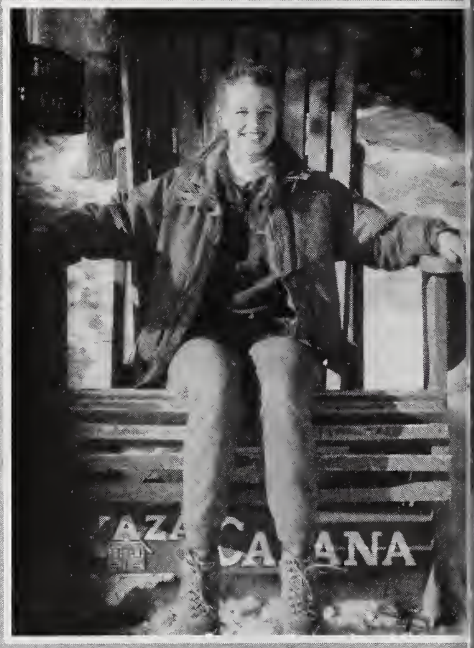
SENIORS

We're everywhere! *SENIORS!* How you may ask can we do it all, be everywhere and run everything? Elmwood Seniors are Teen Idols. We are the epitomes of orderliness, organization, and good conduct. Perfection, in the very essence of its meaning. The incredible gamut (Words Are Important) of our ever-spreading influence over the whole Elmwood Community boggles the mind, and makes them wonder, "How do they do it?" EASY - we're *SUPER*!!!

(Clockwise from the Top):
Sarah Z. and her 'magnificent' Globe terrarium.
Tara Chauhan presents the first Tara Chauhan Tae Kwon-do Award to Vanessa Arnold.
Whose dog is this, anyway?

Clockwise, from Top Left:
Monica assuming the meditative pose best suited for learning!
Michelle sipping from the Fountain of Knowledge!
Is that Mr. Yates' handsome Elmwood uniform?
Harriet expresses her creative side!
An apple a day keeps the doctor away - so, we're stocking up!

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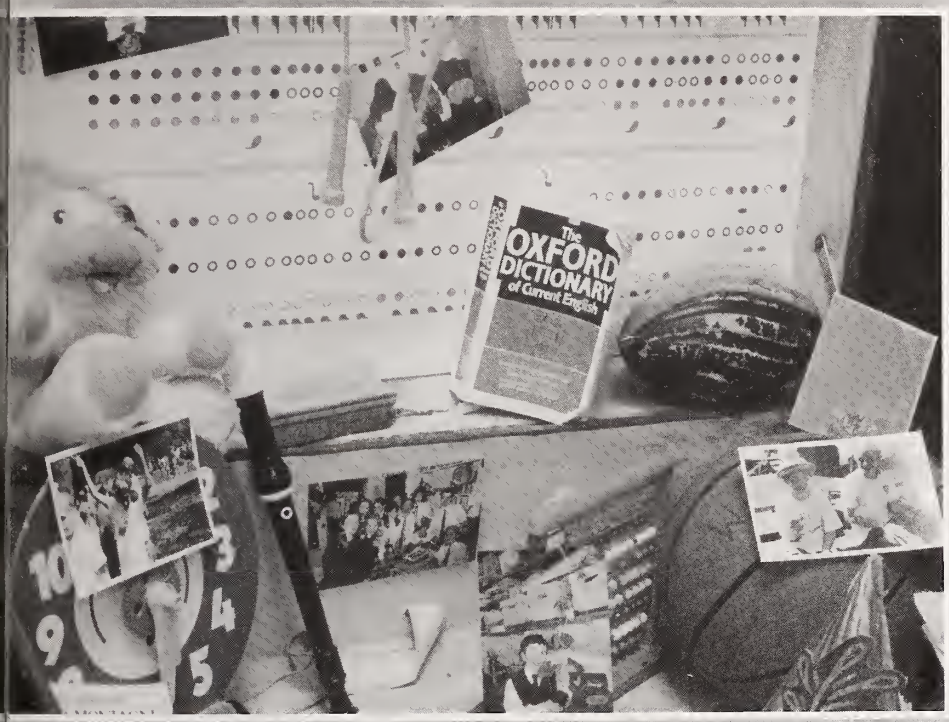

JUNIORS

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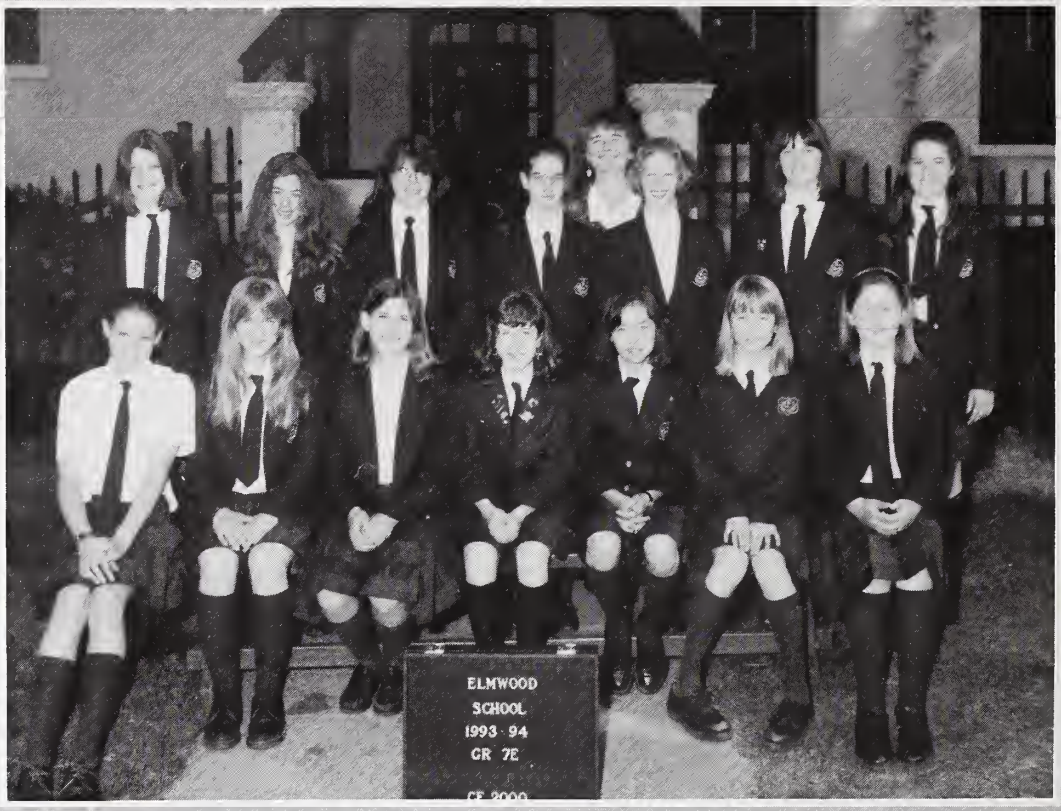
(Back Row - Left to Right): Jennie Perrin, Alison Booth, Katie Mills, Janice Yu, Allison Grimsey, Katherine Langford, Nicola Adams, Emily Sheehan, Karen Selody, Jyoti Aggarwal, Sharon Nimrod, Erin Walker, Mrs. A. Bellamy (Front Row -Left to Right): Anne-Marie Bissada, Rebecca Walsn, Katherine Lewis, Erica Blesa, Ariane Zalatan, Elizabeth Clarke



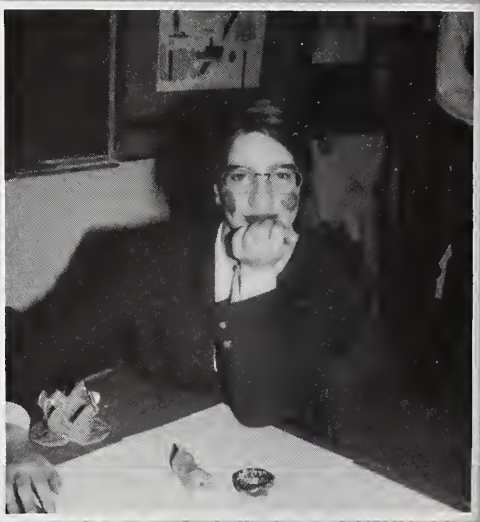
GR-7E

(Back Row - Left to Right): Vivianne Garneau, Alice Johnston, Kate Lunau, Emma Peacocke, Mlle L. Eaman, Wilhelmina Verdegaal, Deirdre Keary-Taylor, Kyla Armstrong-Miller (Front Row - Left to Right): Michelle Taggart, Veronica Feigel, Bettina Callary, Kirsten Weld, Stephanie Chin, Ella Rickit, Rebecca Skrzypczak

7E: THE SINGING CLASS

KYLA ARMSTRONG-MILLER: Known for her wild hyperspazzes!
BETTINA CALLARY (TEEN): Known for her laugh & winning smile!
STEPHANIE CHIN (STEPH): 7E's awesome goalie who never misses a shot!
VERONICA FEIGEL: CRAZY ABOUT DUCHIE!
VIVIANNE GARNEAU (VIVI): Our constant singer towering above the rest!
ALICE JOHNSTON: Horseaholic and a real sports fan!
DEIRDRE KEARY-TAYLOR: When she gets going, she can't be stopped!
KATE LUNAU: "Kate in the skyyy with diiiamonds!!!"
EMMA PEACOCKE: "Salve, Napoleon!"
ELLA RICKIT: "I AM NOT IN A BAD MOOD, NOW LEAVE ME ALONE!"
MICHELLE TAGGART (MICH, MICHELOO): Eternal grooviness!
WILLEMIJN VERDEGAAL: She's our gal, Verdegaal!
KIRSTEN WELD: Readaholic, comic and Trekkie supreme!
REBECCA SKRZYPCZAK: Terrific smile, quiet voice and a GREAT actress!

7E IS THE BEST!!!



Back Row, Left to Right: Jessica Denion, Natalie Piazza, Celeste Lang, Marjorie Cole, Alexandra Eden-Walker, Avneet Basi, Adrienne Horton, Jessica Young, Mrs. N. Hackett
Front Row, Left to Right: Elizabeth Mainwaring, Sophie Olberg, Jessica Barnes, Cait Koss, Stephanie Dostaler, Kimberley Baldwin

Grade 7H students are all known for their . . .
Kim Baldwin - excuses!
Jessica Barnes - rubber cowboy boots!
Avneet Basi - fear of mouldy cheeses!
Marjorie Cole - red ears!
Jessica Denion - laughter!
Stephanie Dostaler - cute voice!
Alex Eden-Walker - devilish mind with Nat!
Adrienne Horton - smile and expert nail technique!
Cait Koss - generosity with hand cream!
Celeste Lang - subtle sense of humour!
Elizabeth Mainwaring - silent smiles!
Stephanie Olberg - outstanding dancing ability!
Natalie Piazza - devilish mind with Alex!
Jessica Young - Doc Wannabees!

GR-7W

(Back Row - Left to Right): Pam Chuchinnawat, Natalie Choo, Elizabeth Wright, Joya Raha, Yvonne Kresse, Mrs. L. Wires (Front Row - Left to Right): Nicola Krishna, Amanda Bon, Saori Matsuoka, Catherine Friis, Jennifer Normand, Alison Van Koughnett, Colleen Cimone Absent: Amanda Veillette, Danielle Vincent

7W: WE'RE WICKED

Amanda B. - Famous for highland dancing. Happy Forever!
Natalie - Remembered for her book bag. Oh those ticklish habits!
Pam - Her favorite song: "Please Forgive Me?" Saori stole my things first!
Colleen - Distinguished by her Brooklyn accent, and her smile. "So" sigh.
Yvonne - Was it Nancy Drew or Yvonne who had the constant annoying meow?
Nicola - Obsessed with Star Trek! Who needs a megaphone with my loud voice?
Saori - Known for her winning bed hair and being artistic. Snoopy watch out, she loves you! Pam stole MY things first!
Jennifer - This WORLD CUP FREAK likes to talk a lot. Wow can she dance!
Joya - I loudly pronounce, there is no END to my talking (cough) eh eh hm!
Alison - She has a rare ability to disappear, and her Valentine cookies are great!
Amanda V. - Famous for her sarcasm. That's MY spare desk!
Danielle - Crowned the limbo queen, she's crazy about clay.
Elizabeth - This flower child is famous for highland dancing.

UEEN

GR. 6s

Back Row, Left to Right: Mrs. C. Schmidt, Krystina Mierins, Karin Plyler, Natalie Pilon, Isbel James, Jennifer Wheeler, Emily Foreman, Emily McQuillan, Martine Paget, Laura Francis, Mary Shearman, Jennifer Grimsey Front Row, Left to Right: Rosie Zollinger, Jessica Perley-Robertson, Meghan Cheung, Janel Yu, Elise Chehowski, Joy Rank, Allison Near

IT'S A DREAM . . .
Martine - to have world peace
Joy - a cure for cancer
Allison - a smoke-free environment
Elise - no homeless people
Jennifer G. - to have a cure for all diseases
Emily M. - to have a baby sister or brother
Natalie - free food
Rosie - if all endangered animals were to survive
Jessica - for all animals to have caring homes
Emily F. - to have more animals
Lauren - no homework assignments
Krystina - a 5-day weekend
Meghan - to have polar bear pet named Monty
Karin - to have a pet tiger named Fred
Janel - to win the lotto 649
Isbel - to be rid of mosquitos
Mary - to have supernatural powers
Jennifer W. - to have a fly-eye view
Laura - to reinstate dodo birds into society
Mrs. Schmidt - to edit all of the above!!

GR. 6

Back Row, Left to Right: Paula Romkey, Courtney Rank, Alexandra Murray, Julia Hermon, Kalessy Lasserre, Alexandra Ramsden, Julie Lafleche, Miwa Suda, Mythri Kappagantula, Emma Whitehead, Mrs. J. O'Brien, Alexa Young Front Row, Left to Right: Angela Lang, Karen Chan, Katie Mitchell, Natalie Goldenberg-Fife, Amanda Tung, Julia Galwin, Teljya Oka-Pregel (Sorry about the 6S signage)

WE ARE THE COOL CLASS OF 1993/94 BECAUSE . . .
Karen is our superb artist.
Julia G. has a great ability to make us laugh.
Natalie is our baseball expert.
Julia H. always has a song on her lips.
Mythri is our maestro in recorder.
Julie is our sweetness and light.
Angela has a delightful laugh.
Kalessy is a good class leader.
Katie is our dancing queen.
Alexandra M. is our resident bookworm.
Teljya is our caring light-hearted girl.
Alexandra R. is our horseback rider.
Courtney is our class conscience.
Paula is our athletic star.
Amanda is our model of politeness.
Emma is our upbeat cheerleader.
Alexa is our classmate with the quiet sense of humour.

GR-5H

Back Row, Left to Right: Celine Chebil, Sarah Bragg, Jennifer Kresse, Sarah Burns, Jennifer Hulsemann, Emily Jamieson, Mrs. B. Huggins Front Row, Left to Right: Amber Dillon, Katherine McNulty, Robin Harnden, Alexandra McCoomb, Kelly MacLaren, Nicole Choo, Vanessa Arnold

IN GRADE FIVE ...

There is MORE homework...

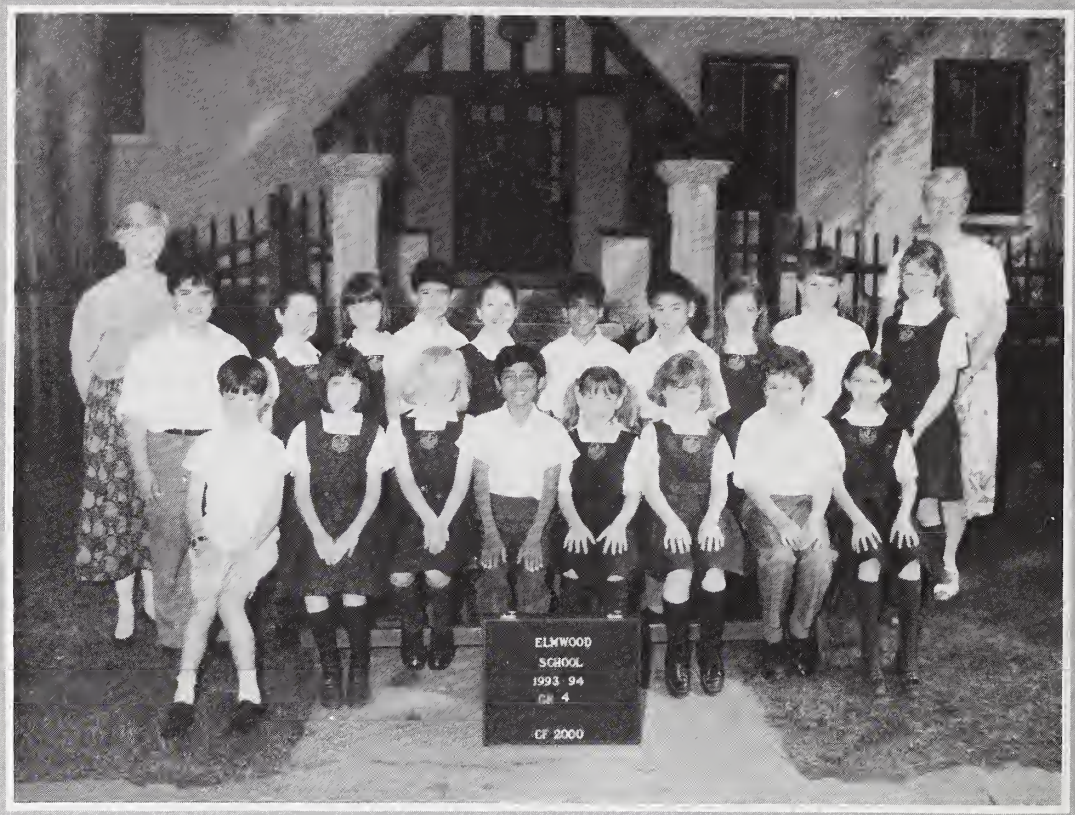
IN GRADE FIVE THERE ARE MANY ADVENTURES

WE HAVE LOTS OF DIFFERENT TEACHERS

We go to Camp Cameron

CHOIR, SKIING, CROSS COUNTRY-RUNNING, CLAY CLUB, HOUSE GAMES, TAE KWON DO, DRAMA, COMPUTER CLUB and EXAMINATIONS

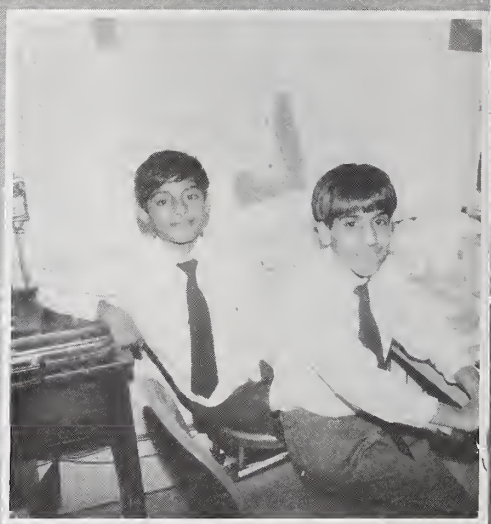
Back Row, Left to Right: Rachel Buxton, Darcie Wilson, Jade Puddington, Sarah Valiant, Alice McCleary, Ms. D. Bowers Front Row, Left to Right: Michelle Bissada, Mariko Matsui, Brinkley Zagerman, Jessica Walker, Lacy Lauks Absent: Ylva Akerblom, Lindsay Appotive, Michelle Kilian



GR. 4

Back Row, Left to Right: Mrs. K. Mayes, Ameer Razavi, Kathryn Edelson, Sarah Langford, Charles Lazaro, Caroline Andison, Raheem Savji, Andrew Huang, Christine MacPhee, Douglas Young, Katherine Wright, Mrs. Ann Hopkins Front Row, Left to Right: Tyler Wilgress, Catherine Vincent, Julia Murray, Siddarth Gojer, Sarah Liebel, Rebecca Willems, Tyler Perley-Robertson, Alexandra Zarama Absent: Graham Page, Jessamy Tedlie-Stursberg

Kate Edelson: If I wasn't me I would like to be girl with long straight brown hair down to my waist.
Graham Page: If I wasn't me I would be the Minister of communications.
Alexandra Zarama: If I wasn't me I would like to be Wayne Gretzky.
Sid Gojer: If I wasn't me I would be a teacher and teach children.
Sarah Liebel: If I wasn't me I would like to be a vet, because I really like animals.
Sarah Langford: If I was not me I would like to be a famous horse back rider and ride in all the shows and races.
Raheem Savji: If I wasn't me I'd like to be the Governor General.
Tyler Wilgress: If I wasn't me I'd be Felix Potvin.
Christine McPhee: I would be a champion race horse and my name would be Duchii.
Julia Murray: If I wasn't me I wouldn't want to be anybody else.
Ameer Razavi: If I wasn't me I would be a king, my name would be my own name.
Katie Wright: If I wasn't me I would like to be a famous artist, I would live in the hills of Paris and most of the money I would make would go to the charities.
Douglas Young: I want to be a minister like my dad. When you're a minister you have a big job. I want to be the Minister of Transport.
Rebecca Willems: If I wasn't me I'd like to be a famous race horse named King of the track. My owner would be very nice to me and never have to use the whip.
Tyler Perley-Robertson: If I wasn't me I would want to be the ruler of the world and my name would be Emperor Tyler.
Andrew L. Huang: If I wasn't me I would like to be invisible!! (And be able to be seen when I wanted).
Jessamy Tedlie-Stursberg: If I wasn't me I would like to be a writer who writes children's books.
Caroline Andison: If I wasn't me I would like to be a cat because cats do not get homework or go to school and they get to go to sleep whenever they want and my name would be Tipsy.
Catherine Vincent: If I wasn't me I would like to be a person that owned a big animal petting zoo that lots of people came to and I would become rich.
Charley Lazaro: If I wasn't me I'd rather be a normal kid living a normal life.



GR-3

Back Row, Left to Right: Jessica Wilson, Neil Weijer, Alex Mimeault, Nicolas Krell, Harriet Lerwill, Gordie Tam, Timothy Herauf, Kate McCleary, Sam Hickman, Rajan Pandher Front Row, Left to Right: Marcela Lazaro, Marie-Joelle Muns, Paul McGuire, James Hall, Shayli Hill, Catherine Oswald, Sarah Russell Teachers, Standing at the Back, Left to Right: Mrs. R. Gerspacher and Mrs. N. Mawson Absent: Andrew Northern, Jacob Shabinsky and Jaap Verdegaal

Paul McGuire: When I grow up, I want to be an artist because I like to paint.
Jacob Shabinsky: When I grow up I want to be a professional football player in the National Football League for the Miami Dolphins because that is my favorite sport and my favorite team.
Catherine Oswald: When I grow up I would want to be three things an Olympic skier, a vet and an artist. I would love to be a skier because I love to go skiing and a vet because I love animals and I would like to be an artist because I love to draw.
Andrew Northern: When I grow up I would like to be a waiter in a restaurant. I would like to serve because I'm good at writing the list and I like food.
Jacob Verdegaal: When I grow up I want to be a RCMP Mountie police because I like the guns and I like horses.
Sam Hickman: When I grow up, I would like to be a teacher because I think it is fun being with children. I have a few Grade One friends myself! I would also like teaching subjects such as math, spelling, and reading comprehension.
Gordie Tam: When I grow up I want to be a lifeguard because when people drown I go to save them.
Neil Weijer: When I grow up I would like to be a business man because I like travelling and stocks and also am interested in telecommunications.
Shayli Hill: When I grow up, I want to be a Writer because I want to publish books and be famous.
Kate McCleary: When I grow up I want to be a Scientist because I like to mix chemicals.
Rajan Pandher: When I grow up I want to be a chef. I want to be a chef because I would like to learn how to cook.
Tim Herauf: When I grow up I want to be a baseball player because I like baseball.
Harriet Lerwill: When I grow up I want to be a skater and a runner because I move fast.
Marcela Lazaro: When I grow up I might want to be a singer, a doctor, or a skater!
Alex Mimeault: When I grow up, I want to be a ski jumper because I like skiing, and for another job I would be in the army.
James Hall: When I grow up I want to be a soccer player because it's a good game.

GR. 2

Back Row, Left to right: Kate MacGillivray, Zenah Surani, Kathleen Worobeck, Barrett Karam, Matthew McEnery, Antonio Silva Marques, Peter Leimbigler, Alex Laborie, Sheila Egan, Julie Trudel, Nazir Savji, Sasha Lauks Front Row, Left to Right: Rodrigo Roman-Valdes, Matthew Bowman, Elizabeth Bragg, Hamish McKillop, Benjamin Shearman, Catriona Benzie, Neil Mason, Fleur M.L. Veldehuyzen Van Zanten Absent: Rony Eyamie and Ms. Leslie MacLeod, our beloved Teacher!

M-marvelous
A-awesome
T-talented
T-true
H-handy
E-energetic
W-witty

C-cute
A-acrobatic
T-truthful
R-rambunctious
I-interesting
O-original
N-neat & nice
A-awesome

B-bravery
A-athletic
R-rambunctious
R-rowdy
E-excited
T-terrific
T-tangled

A-awesome
N-neat
T-total
O-outstanding
N-natty
I-intelligent
O-optimist

Z-zoomy
E-energetic
N-natural
A-artist
H-healthy

N-neat
E-exciting
I-interesting
L-loving

F-fantastic
L-likeable
E-elegant
U-understanding
R-radiant

S-smart
A-athletic
S-sweet
H-happy
A-artistic

N-nifty
A-animated
Z-zippy
I-incredible
R-rajah

B-brave
E-eager
N-nice
J-Jewish
A-athlete
M-mannerly
I-immaculate
N-nutri-kid

S-smart & shy
H-happy
E-extraordinary
I-ice cream lover
L-lovely
A-athletic

J-joyful
U-understanding
L-lovely & likeable
I-interesting
E-excellent

H-handsome
A-athletic
M-mysterious
I-important
S-seven & swift
H-hot

R-radiant
O-original
N-nimble
Y-youthful

M-majestic
A-active
T-talker
T-tries hard

P-perfect
E-excellent
T-talented
E-energetic
R-radical

K-kind
A-athlete
T-talented
H-humourous
L-loveable
E-entertaining
E-enthusiastic
N-noble

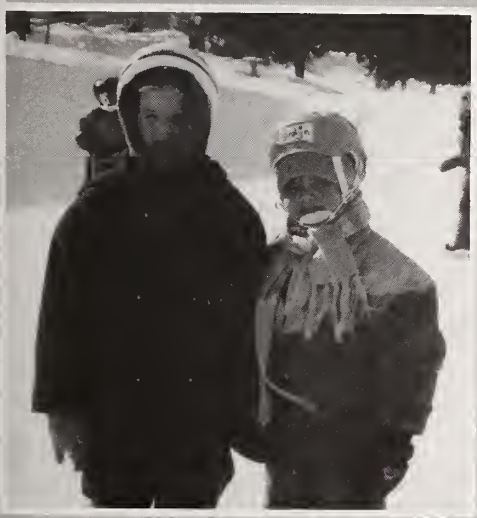
R-religious
O-original
D-delightful
R-radical
I-interesting
G-good
O-outrageous

E-exclusive
L-loving
I-interested
Z-zany
A-artful
B-beautiful
E-enthused
T-truthful
H-happy

K-kissable
A-artistic
T-talented
E-eager

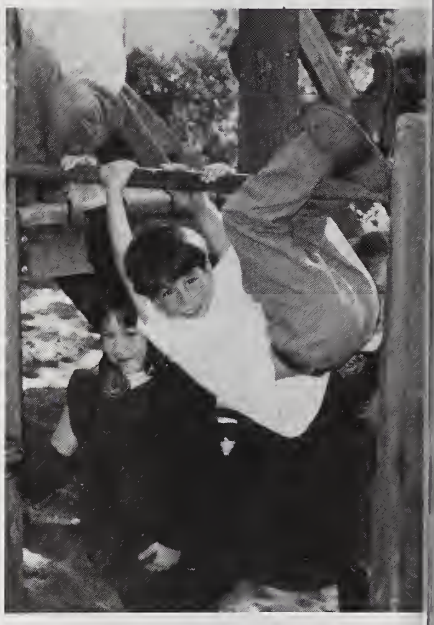
GR.1

Back Row, Left to Right: Marisa Heymans, Rebeka Lauks, Michael Wallack, David Nestor, Laura Mason, Carolyn Bartlett, John McNulty, Reneé Farrell, Laura Berger, Lovisa Malmqvist, Jonathan Wang, Jasvinder Pandher Front Row, Left to Right: Sarah Leenen, Sebastian Krell, Lucas Huang, Erin Taylor, Robert Cushing, Jacqueline Hugo, Ralph Caprio, Joanna Weijer Teachers: Elizabeth Lloyd and Vi Thomas



GRADE ONE IS LOTS OF FUN!!! SOME OF THE BEST TIMES WERE:

Lovisa - Pajama Day
Robbie - playing with the Math Safari
Reneé - celebrating birthday parties
John - going outside for Gym
Laura - having Suzie help with our class
David - going outside to skate for Gym
Sarah - doing Art
Ralph - going to Gym with Big Sister Michelle
Jacquie - Clown Day
A.J. - the First Day of School
Joanna - twirling on the ice with skates on
Lucas - my skating teacher calling me the #1 skater
Carolyn - Mrs. Lloyd is the best part of school for me
Sebastian - birthday party cupcakes
Rebeka - going skating and teaching my classmates Joanna & Reneé
Michael - playing Badminton in Gym
Erin - Spirit Week was the Best
Marisa - sliding on the hills at Recess Time
Jonathan - being Mrs. Lloyd's helper
Laura M. - our Hallowe'en Party with our Big Sisters
Mrs. Lloyd - Every day with my Class was a fun day for me!



CLUBS

WRITERS CLUB

(Left to Right - Back Row): Mrs. Annette Bellamy, Mrs. Jennifer Faguy, Janice Yu, Marsha Taichman, Anne-Marie Bissada, Jennifer Fannin, Mrs. Heather Hoy (Left to Right - Front Row): Caroline Dawes, Gertrude Wong, Diana McBurney

The theme for Writer's club this year has been writing with a purpose. Members learned about the writing of minutes to record the activities of a meeting, and took turns to write the minutes for our weekly gatherings. We also explored how to write effective reports, reviews and commentaries, focusing on events taking place in the school community. Letter-writing in its various forms was another area of interest. The writing of poetry occupied us at several meetings, and members were encouraged to submit their poems to Samara's Art and Lit section and to various competions taking place in the Ottawa area. We enjoyed the readings of each other's work and resolved to compile an anthology of all completed efforts.

MATH CLUB

(Left to Right): Hanna Ikeda, Jehanne Jooste, Adele Dupont, Erica Morris, Mieko Matsui, Caroline Dawes, Mrs. Fran Outerbridge (our beloved mentor)

This year in Math Club we did various games and puzzles. Some of these were so challenging that we were left to work on them for more than a week, even between meetings! We spent a lot of time preparing for the Canadian Mathematics Competition. We shall also be having our annual picnic (weather permitting), with more tales From Flatland. Thank-you Mrs. Outerbridge, the students (Caroline Dawes, Adele Dupont, Hanna Ikeda, Jehanne Jooste, Mieko Matsui, Erica Morris) and also to the Mathematicians who made up the problems for us to solve.

TEXTILES CLUB

HOLY COW!

A small but energetic group of Grade Seven students met each Thursday afternoon during the third term to allow their creative juices to flow. Diligent effort each week resulted in, the production of a whole herd of cows! The intense work required constant nourishment. Their energy was sustained by a lovely assortment of dry cereal. We'd like to thank Mrs. Leeman for her help and encouragement until the "cows went home".

(Back Row - Left to Right): Amanda Bon, Danielle Vincent (Front Row - Left to Right): Joya Raha, Ella Rickit, Nicola Krishna, Mrs. Kinm Leeman

SPANISH CLUB

This is a program offered to girls in grades 7 and 8 who wish to learn basic conversational skills in Spanish. It takes place every Monday after school from 3:30-4:30 pm. Also, an optional book is available called "Spanish for Beginners" which aids in learning specific sayings and phrases. No homework is given and it is not a credit course but it is a fun approach to learning how to speak the Spanish language. Mme Sabourin, who provides this course, teaches Spanish for senior students at Elmwood and makes the language seem easy and interesting. Hopefully, this can be a continued program offered to Elmwood students.

Some examples of the activities we take part in are: playing Mexican BINGO, having a party with nachos, cheese and loads of spicy sauce, and listening to Spanish music. It is really fun and everyone who participates can tell you how much we enjoy it.

(Back Row - Left to Right): M. Judith Sabourin, Allison Grimsey, Katherine Langford, Sharon Nimrod, Elizabeth Clarke, Ariane Zalatan, Janice Yu, Erica Blesa (Front Row - Left to Right): Jennie Perrin, Stephanie Chin, Jyoti Aggarwal, Nagin Razavi

JR. CLAY CLUB

The Junior Clay Club in no particular order . . . Jennifer Hulsemann, Lindsay Appotive, Alexandra McCoomb, Mythri Kappagantula, Laura Francis, Rosie Zollinger, Meghan Cheung, Ella Rickit, Wilhelmina Verdegaal, Joy Rank, Janel Yu, Jessica Perley-Robertson, Kim Baldwin, Teki Akuetteh, Elizabeth Mainwaring, Marsha Taichman, Judy Lazier, Vanessa Arnold, Jessica Barnes, Jennifer Grimsey, Angela Lang, Courtney Rank, Alexandra Ramsden, Julia Schumacher and Nicola Adams . . . where's Mrs. McCabe . . . taking the picture!!!

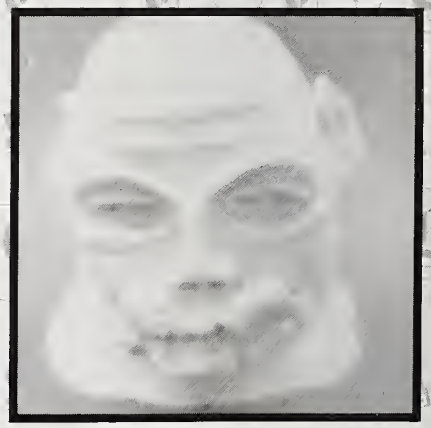
The Clay Club met on Thursday afternoons of second term. We had a big turn out with lots of enthusiasm. A great variety of items was produced - everything from dragons to teddy bears and a lot in between. Some brave people even tried their hand at the potter's wheel. Now that's challenging!

Sarah McCabe

SR. CLAY CLUB

The Senior Clay Club in a clockwise sort of arrangement . . . Julie Glazier, Stephanie Russell, Maryam Kavehrad, Allison Russell, Alex Woloschuk and the Club Mascot - Sarah Russell . . . where's Mrs. McCabe . . . taking the picture!!!

Senior Clay Club was held once a week during last term. We had a small but loyal turnout. The time flew by . . . much faster than class periods I gather! The students produced some fine pieces and shared more than a few laughs.



JR. BAND

The Jr. Band had a terrific year playing lots of great music and having some great laughs as well.

One highlight was the field trip to the NAC where we saw an incredible selection of flesh baring contortionists and acrobats (music trips?). Thanks to:

Flowering Flutes
.....Monika & Hannah

Controversial Clarinets
.....Nicola, Bridget, Sharon, Katherine

Sassy Saxes
.....Elizabeth & Julia

Breathy Brass
.....Anne-Marie, & Julie

Talking Trombones
.....Erin

Disappearing Drums
....._____?

Band Members . . . Mr. Doug Knight (standing), Nicola Adams, Monika Merchea, Katherine Lewis, Sharon Nimrod, Elizabeth Clarke, Erin Walker, Janice Yu, Julia Schumacher, Hannah Roessler, Julie Hakim, Anne-Marie Bissada, Meredith Gillespie

SR. BAND

The Senior Band really broke new ground (and instruments) this year. The Christmas concert was fantastic including such traditional favourites as "Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree" and "Jingle Bell Rock".

This year's musical presented a special challenge due to the huge amount of fiddling in it. The dedicated trio including Christina, Natalie, and Jennifer combated chaos and key changes to perform a miracle during the performances.

A fabulous rhythm section helped ensure the band did not go to the birds 3rd term when we played such flying numbers as "Yardbird Suite" and "Birdland". Closing meant the end of the year and a sad farewell to the loyal OAC's Kim, Alex, Michelle, and Christina who are off to bigger and better bands. Good Luck.

Band Members (in no particular order) . . . Michelle Johnson, Kim Schryburt, Natalie Gandilo, Mr. Doug Knight (our great leader), Amanda Sumner, Katherine Taylor, Susan Kes, Anne Meredith, Caroline Ashekian, Alex Woloschuk, Christina Gandilo, Tara Chauhan, Jennifer Haughton, Meera Ruparelia, Helen O'Leary and Alicia Robinson.

JR. CHOIR

The Junior School Choir had a record number of members this year and also produced outstanding results.

In the fall they sang at Elmwood's Remembrance Day ceremony. Christmas performances were at Parliament-Hill, Island Lodge, at the school Christmas concert and at the Rideau Club.

The new year found the Choir busily preparing for the Kiwanis Music Festival and performances at closing.

I thank you for your enthusiasm and and hard work! This choir has been a pleasure to work with.

Deirdre Bowers

The Larger Choir . . . Teljya Oka-Pregel, Natalie Choo, Joya Raha, Darcie Wilson, Natalie Pilon; Krystina Mierins, Nicola Adams, Katherine Lewis, Sarah Burns, Jessica Walker, Nicole Choo, Vivianne Garneau, Alice Johnston, Jade Puddington, Jessica Young, Lauren MacLeod, Mary Shearman, Alexa Young, Katie Mitchell, Angela Lang, Natalie Goldenberg-Fife, Wilhelmina Verdegaal, Judy Lazier, Natalie Piazza, Deirdre Keary-Taylor, Alexandra Eden-Walker, Martine Paget, Celine Chebil, Lacy Lauks (the ALTO section) . . . Isbel James, Rosie Zollinger, Nicola Krishna, Emily Jamieson, Mythri Kappagantula, Sarah Bragg, Kalessy Lasserre, Julia Hermon, Julie Lafleche, Courtney Rank, Joy Rank, Jennifer Hulsemann, Emily Foreman, Jennifer Grimsey, Elizabeth Mainwaring, Amanda Bon, Alison Van Koughnett, Kirsten Weld, Ella Rickit, Paula Romkey, Sarah Valiant, Adrienne Horton, Alexandra McCoomb, Jennifer Kresse, Amanda Veillette, Rachel Buxton, Amber Dillon, Alice McCleary and Allison Near (the SOPRANO section)

SR. CHOIR

This year the Elmwood Senior choir had many successes. Some of our more memorable new Christmas pieces included: The Virgin Mary Had a Baby Boy (with Natali on maracas), and A Christmas Spiritual. We performed at the World Exchange Plaza, where we were taped by a camera man from CJOH. We also sang at Parliament Hill, and at Edinburgh House, where we were complimented not only on our voices, but on the professionalism of the whole choir.

Come April, along with a few ulcers on Mrs. O'Brien's part, we were ready for the ISMF. Although we were a small school, we were one of the most professional ones there. For closing we sang the ever popular Plenty Good Room (from the Music festival), accompanied by the dashing Mr. Knight as tenor, and Mr. Yates as bass.

Needless to say, our choir would not be the success it is had it not been for Mrs. O'Brien, pulling out her hair and whipping us into shape. To her we owe every success we have had with the choir and our sincerest thanks, and also to Mrs. Weeks, our patient, and understanding pianist not only for her work with us, but for the great amount of time she invests in us outside of the actual practices. Lastly, to Tara, our graduating member, your beautiful voice and motherly instincts have made you not only an endearing member of the choir, but also a key player in its successes. You will be greatly missed.

CLASSICS CLUB

Movie Night, the Roman Banquet and the Classics Conference kept the Classics Club very busy yet again this year.

A number of films both modern and Roman were available to the students from grades 5 to OAC who attended the movie presentation - and the most popular movies were - you've guessed it - the modern productions!! "Demetrius and the Gladiators", did not stand a chance!

"Star Trek" was the theme of the Roman Banquet this year. Sedbergh and Ashbury joined us as we tried our luck in the forum, sold slaves, ate a "Roman" diet of pizza and danced to the tunes. This was one of our most successful banquets.

On Friday, May 13th - O auspicious day! - we left for the Classics Conference which was held for the second time at Trent University. 420 students representing 23 schools attended this event, participating in all kinds of academic, creative and athletic events. Elmwood students can be proud of themselves, winning ribbons in over 20 categories and coming 5th on a per capita basis. Some of them are so keen to participate and do well next year that they want to get a head start on competition material by beginning the work already - such wonderful enthusiasm!

Our thanks for a successful year go to the Executive of the Club, Caroline Ashekian and Natalie Gandilo (Co-Presidents), Robin Booth and Sarah Glinski (Vice-Presidents), Jenny Fannin (Secretary) and Monica Agarwal (Treasurer), to Mrs. Doetsch (the Teacher Co-ordinator) and to Mrs. Hoy and Mrs. Johnston-Mierins who helped with the Classics Conference.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE

(Back Row - Left to Right): Catriona James, Christina Quiney, Mrs. Carole Schmidt, Vanessa Quiney, Johanna Bon, Mrs. Wendy Ross, Jenny Fannin (Front Row - Left to Right) Joya Raha, Samantha Barrett, Elizabeth Wright

Books, books, wonderful books! Where would we be without them or our libraries? As always, the parents and students have contributed greatly to our continual hunger for good books, by donating both good used books as well as birthday books. Everyone likes to see their name on a bookplate in a book on the library shelf.

To help replace old books with new, we held a most successful used book sale in the Junior Library during the winter term. The money received was well spent on some badly needed non-fiction books for that library.

It is very surprising what some students choose as project topics, especially in the primary area. Although we usually cannot fire all of the requests, each year we try to add to the collection, books which contain material that has been requested during the year.

The Erewhon Theatre Company visited the Junior School again this year, with their "one-person" rendition of *The Wind In The Willows.* You had to be there to appreciate the effort of this solitary actress!

The committee worked tirelessly to keep the more clerical aspects of library work well in hand. Oh yes - they did quite a good job at eating pizza too! Our thanks to all of you for your continued support.

Mrs. Wendy Ross
Mrs. Carole Schmidt

COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE

Jocelynne St. Jacques

Nicole Kilian

May 8-13 was a week unlike any other when two of Elmwood's finest OAC debaters, Jocelynne St. Jacques and Nicole Kilian, set off to participate in the 22nd National Student Commonwealth Forum. The week kicked off with a cultural evening featuring many performances of ethnic content which provided the delegates with a glimpse into the varied cultural make-up of the Commonwealth. The week included visits with High Commissioners, other Commonwealth officials, participation in economic and political simulation games and speakers from Canadian and Commonwealth Departments! The culminating event was the Model Heads of Government Meeting when EACH student represented one of the Leaders of a particular Commonwealth Country. The student debated actual proposals concerning economic, social and political issues that are prominent in the Commonwealth today. At the end of the Conference/Forum the proposals that have been agreed upon by the student delegates are released as a Communiqué to be considered by the next meeting of actual Commonwealth of Nations - it is an actual Agenda Item! The week was also filled with Baseball games, end-of-week parties AND a Gala Evening where the student delegates mixed with Commonwealth and Canadian dignitaries.

V. Kellett

SCIENCE CLUB

The Junior Science Club met on Tuesdays at noon during the second term. Club members completed mobiles featuring the planets of our solar system. As well, members were able to enjoy the science software installed on the new computer in the physics lab.

(Back Row - Left to Right): Mrs. Carol Clubine, Jessica Wilson, Jessamy Tedlie-Stursberg, Alexandra Zarama, Caroline Andison (Front Row - Left to Right): Raheem Savji, Ameer Razavi, Tyler Perley-Robertson. Absent: Catherine Oswald, Sarah Russell

SCIENCE OLYMPICS

The Science Olympics 1994 was held for the first time at the National Museum of Science & Technology. Seventeen other high schools competed, and it was an extremely successful competition overall.

We participated in every event and everything worked! The pasta bridge of Sarah Mayes and Sandra Quiros-Navas easily supported its own weight. Lasagna worked well. The water lifting device of Diana McBurney & Erica Morris was a testament to trial and error producing a very efficient device.

Robin Booth & Caroline Ashekian put in a super last minute effort to produce a fun machine which satisfied many of the criteria demanded by the judges.

Maryam Kavehrad designed and made a very streamlined hydrofoam boat, and Susie Herbert was photographer and team supporter.

Sarah Glinski and Natalie Gandilo overcame disturbing problems with the audio visual equipment, and gave an interesting presentation on the technological spin offs from the space program. Sarah even wore Mrs. Boyd's flight suit to increase authenticity! They came in a creditable third.

It was a truly rewarding and thought provoking day with a team who were a joy to be with and of whom I was very proud.

Julie Boyd

(Left to Right): Diana McBurney, Mrs. Boyd, Erica Morris, Maryam Kavehrad, Sarah Glinski, Sandra Quiros-Navas, Robin Booth, Caroline Ashekian, Susie Herbert, Sarah Mayes, Natalie Gandilo.

DUKE OF EDINBURGH

(Back Row - Left to Right): Olivia Waters, Samantha Barrett, Litharitza Vakopoulos (Front Row - Left to Right): Katie Lazaro, Isabelle French, Miranda Young, Mlle Lise Eaman, Catriona James

(Back Row - Left to Right): Monica Agarwal, Susie Herbert, Her Excellency Mrs. Gerda Hnatyshyn, Mlle Lise Eaman, Jennifer Fannin, Meera Ruparelia (Front Row - Left to Right): Dena Roberts, Gertrude Wong, Sarah Glinski

This has been a special year for Elmwood's Duke of Edinburgh's Award Program. On May 30th, Her Excellency Mrs. Gerda Hnatyshyn came to Elmwood to officiate at a ceremony honouring seven girls who had completed their *Bronze Award* this year. *CONGRATULATIONS* to *Dena Roberts, Susie Herbert, Sarah Glinski, Jenny Fannin, Gertrude Wong, Monica Agarwal,* and *Meera Ruparelia!* They and their families had the opportunity to chat with and thank Her Excellency at a tea following the awards presentation.

All seven of the award recipients have been working towards their *Silver Award* this year, and plan to complete their Qualifying Expedition in the fall. Several have already set their sights on the ultimate challenge, the *Gold Award,* over the next year.

Another group of eight Grade 9-11 students embarked on their *Bronze* level this fall. They selected individual goals in each of the four areas of the program: Skill, Community Service, Fitness and Outdoors Expedition and have been working to achieve them over the required six months period of commitment.

Following weekly or bi-weekly training sessions in map and compass skills, First Aid, route-planning, 'no-trace camping', food, clothing, equipment and emergency procedures, they successfully organized and completed a 1-day Practice hike and 2-day overnight camping hike at Lac Philippe in Gatineau Park. Several of the girls hope to complete their Bronze Award in the fall of '94.

It has been a challenging and rewarding year for all involved in the program. *Congratulations* to the "Duke of Ed's" girls on their hard work and admirable achievements. We are very proud of you!!

SAMARA

Well, another year has passed and yet again it seems as though SAMARA will not be QUITE finished on time! BIG SURPRISE! Over the year Samara has dealt with such deadline-stopping incidents such as: "Sarah, where are the keys to the Editor's Room?", "Robin, where are those colour photocopies?", and "Susie, when are those black and white photos going to be ready?"

This year's expectations were to have all the pictures and write-ups delivered and sent off ON TIME! Well, miracles seem to happen only in Fairy Tales and a few loyal fans are still slogging away in mid-July. We are awaiting certain Grad write-ups (Keri), photos (Jostens) and the reorganization of a FEW "finished" sections!!!

We would like to thank everyone who helped with SAMARA especially the extra-loyal workers such as Catriona James, Joya Raha and Kristen Weld; photos from various members of Staff, you know who you are and we appreciate your help; to Christina and Tara for their Grad section; to JENNY and Johanna for all their help during the year and into the Summer (it's good practice for next year!); and to Mr. and Mrs. McCabe for their patience and guidance. Good Luck to Jenny and Johanna next year!

Left to Right: Susie Herbert, Robin Booth and Sarah Glinski

Left to Right: Mrs. S. McCabe, Mr. M. McCabe, Monica Aggarwal, Johanna Bon, Jenny Fannin and Susie Herbert

Johanna Bon as the Rabbi waits expectantly for the wedding with the groom, Motel, played by Jenny Fannin.

Golde (Renée London), screams in disbelief as Tevye (Sarah Mayes) relates his "dream".

Fiddler

The Elmwood Theatre Company, under the direction of *Mrs. Keary-Taylor,* dazzled and entertained four sold-out audiences.

From the opening scene of the violin-playing Fiddler silouetted against exquisite paintings of Marc Chagall, to the dying chords of Anatevka, the audiences were drawn into this poignant story of love, family, traditions and community. Strong acting performances, carefully transposed musical scores, intricate choreography, design and lighting effects, combined to bring this story, set in turn of the century Russia, to life in a special way.

Who forgets such moments as *Renée London's* opening violin solo, or *Sarah Mayes'* amazing portrayal of Tevye, father of five beautiful daughters, as he conversed with God about the trials of their betrothals. The wedding scene brought a lump to the throat when Tzeitel, played by *Miranda Young,* married Motel, portrayed by a suitably shy and nervous *Jennifer Fannin.* Grandma Tzeitel's *(Swathi Kappagantula)* and Fruma-Sarah's *(Stephanie Hanna)* appearance in the dream sequence was both ethereal and powerful. Diana McBurney delighted the audience with her beautiful singing voice and her sensitive portrayal of Hodel.

Fine performances were also given by Johanna Bon as the Rabbi, Caroline Ashekian as Yente, Sarah Glinski as Lazar Wolfe, Sarah Zollinger as Perchik. Many of our little villagers came from the Junior school and they added immensely to the productions.

This was truly a celebration of life and we thank *everyone* who brought expertise to this triumph of a production!

on the Roof

L'chaim!!!

irector, Mrs. Keary-Taylor, anticipates Opening Night with Mrs. 'Brien, Backstage Manager.

Stephanie Hanna as Fruma Sarah

(Right): Tevye relives his nightmare populated by the Villagers of Anatevka - both dead and alive

(Below): Mural painted by Mrs. McCabe's Art students inspired by Marc Chagall's "I and the Village".

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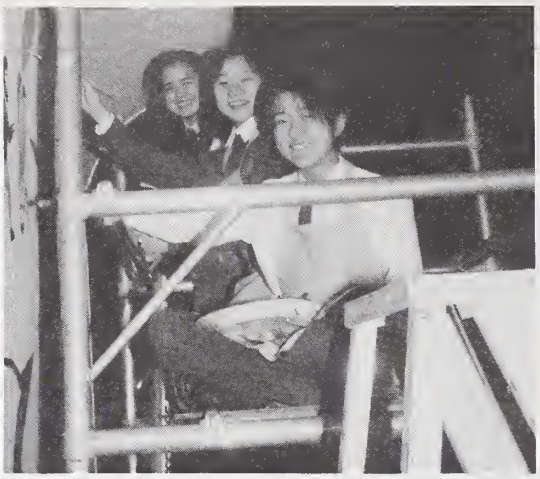
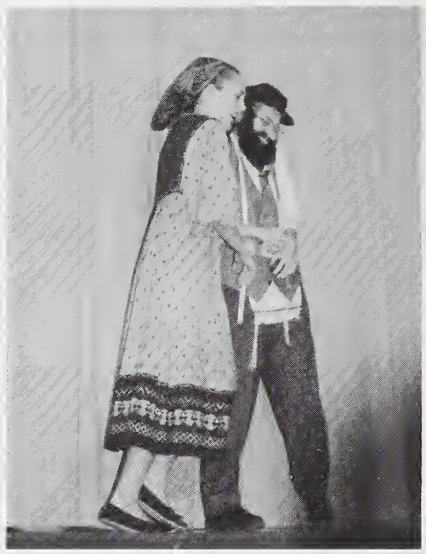
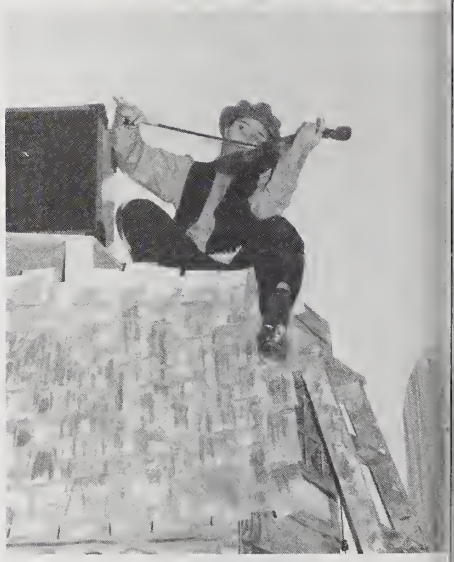


STUDENT LIFE

DRAMA

Elmwood's Drama Program has had a very active and successful year. During first term our budding actors auditioned for the school's major production *Fiddler on the Roof.* These dedicated actresses attended rehearsals held four times weekly, including Sunday. These practices showed when *Fiddler* opened in January to raving reviews. One audience member was quoted saying that he had seen five professional productions of *Fiddler* and ours topped them all. In April we took *Fiddler* on the road to St. Andrew's College to the Independent School's Drama Festival. The adjudicator's only words were 'wow'. While those in *Fiddler* were rehearsing, other students prepared plays for Elmwood's Evening of One Act Plays. Under student direction and supervision from Ms. McKenzie-Lawrence, they too produced wonderful masterpieces. Drama 3A/OAC also produced their own special production. As part of their Drama IRE, Sarah Mayes, Monica Signal, and Sarah Glinski directed their version of the hit musical *Grease.* This production gave a chance for each individual in the Drama Class to shine, and they did. From *Fiddler,* to *Grease,* to the one act plays Drama at Elmwood shined this year. It showed the extensive talent and dedication hidden within the school.



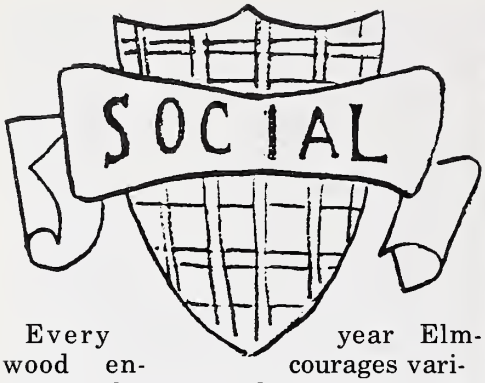


The word "spirit" when applied to a person can mean their attitude or mood. When applied to a school it means even more. We tend to take the spirit or mood of our School for granted and discuss it very little. When we do discuss the School, many of us are very adept at pointing out the things we don't like or things we would like to change or improve. We often don't stop to consider the many good things about our School, the things we hope will never change.

As staff and students of Elmwood we take a quiet pride in our School and our achievements. But when asked about the School and its achievements we sometimes use words like "pretty good" and "not bad" and "okay" when describing it. We know we have always had a warm, happy school with a lot going on, both in and out of the classroom, but it is often visitors or new students who comment on how much spirit there is in the School.

This year many of us feel that there is a special difference in the School. I don't know what it is. There is the obvious difference -- but that is not the whole school. We have had wonderful, successful events in these first nine weeks of school, from Sports Afternoon to the Halloween Party. The yearbook was terrific and this year's promises to be just as good.

Maybe the difference is in the sports events so far -- successfully competing in cross country running, soccer, basketball, golf, tennis and swimming, and participating in other activities such as Tae Kwon Do and dancing. Perhaps it is the mounting excitement over next term's production of Fiddler on the Roof, or all of the music that we enjoy in the School, from recorders, to choirs, to bands. Maybe it is being part of a school where teachers, in addition to all of their work in the classroom, are willing to put in so many hours afterwards on extra-curricular activities, organizing and taking out-of-school trips and supervising special social events.



Every year Elmwood encourages various social events and this year was no exception. We established both a social rep system and a student council to help organize various events. In November Elmwood hosted the third annual International Evening. Tickets were in such demand that we were sold out within one week of announcing it. Our International Evening was a success! Many students performed ethnic dances, some recited poetry or played music, and many others helped by bringing food, posters, and decorations. Thank you to the International Committee for such a wonderful evening.

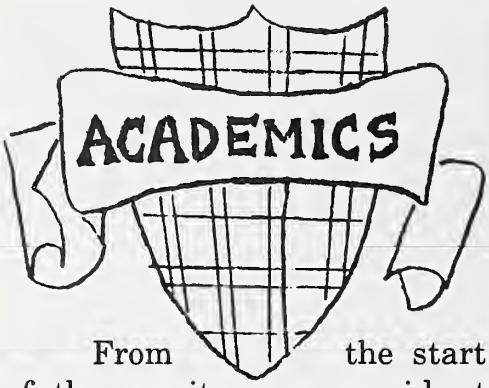
In February everyone got a chance to dress up for the Father and Daughter Dinner Dance. Many hours of work went into organising this spectacular evening. Fathers and daughters spent the evening dining and dancing with their friends.

Cameron Blott and Mrs. Knowlton organised a Ski Day at Mont St. Marie for the senior school. Everyone had a chance to explore new hills and several girls had the chance to try snowboarding. Hopefully next time Natasha tries it will not be during volleyball season.

In April, Elmwood hosted a lock-in for the senior school. Students played volleyball, sang with a karaoke, danced, and laughed until the early hours of the morning. Then they were treated to breakfast courtesy of the teachers. The social reps and teachers must be thanked for this event.

In May Elmwood hosted its first coffeehouse. It was an experiment to say the least. An enthusiastic student council planned this event. We hosted several bands from around Ottawa. It was a learning experience that everyone enjoyed.

This year Elmwood tried many new things in the way of social events. It was an interesting year and one that will be hard to follow.



From the start of the year it was evident that Elmwood academics would thrive during this '93-'94 year. We witnessed the birth of new academic clubs, with our students excelling in Math contests, debating, and Classics.

The School became an even more likely contender in the areas of Mathematics and literature, because of our Math and Writer's Clubs which prepared students for competitions in weekly meetings and with continual practice.

Our Classics club opened a door to the past, exposing students to the interesting world of Roman and Greek cultures. Students competed in Classical games, in Roman mythology, history, language and arts.

For the Junior Primary school this year, the Jr. Science Club introduced younger students to the school's Physics computer and to our solar system. Lastly, in the senior school, the Physics classes competed in both written competition and the Science Olympics, producing everything from a spaghetti bridge to a fun machine.

In summation, the School has done a wonderful job this year of encouraging students to achieve beyond what they thought possible, to accept new challenges, and to achieve greater things.

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S T. DONAT

Comme à chaque année le voyage a Québec fut un grand succès. Les étudiantes sont toujours un peu surprises de reconnaître qu'il est possible de faire un voyage historique et culturel tout en ayant un plaisir fou. Il faut dire que les filles étaient tres bien préparées. Nombreux furent les compliments de la part de nos guides concernant le niveau de la language de nos étudiantes et de leurs connaissances historiques. Il va sans dire que nous étions particulièrement fières d'elles.

Nos journées et nos soirées étaient remplies d'activités interessantes, créatives et informatives. Les filles ont surtout joui de l'atelier de costumes et de la soirée folklorique. Les animateurs et animatrices étaient très dynamiques. Eux aussi ont trouve l'Elmwoodiennes' très receptif et enthousiastes.

Nous rapportons de ce superbe voyage une foule de souvenirs inoubliable. Si le voyage à Québec fut tellement memorable c'est sans aucun doute grace à la colaboration, l'attitude positive, l'enthousiasme et la joie de vivre de nos étudiantes. Bravo les filles.

Q UEBEC CITY

Cette année le mercure n'a pas "plonge" trop bas, heureusement! La température était supportable. Le soleil était de la partie pour les descentes en skis, les randonnées et les jeux. Nos jeunes filles étaient très enthousiastes dans toutes les activités où le Francais était requis à chaque instant. Le Bilan final est triplement positif: encore une fois à St. Donat on peut améliorer ses techniques sportives et linguistiques et reserver les liens amicaux. Merci à Mme Millington pour les belles photos. Au revoir. A l'année prochaine! Mme Séguin.

CAMP CAMERON

In early May, Grade 5 spent three days at Camp Cameron, an outdoor education centre near Perth. We participated in many outdoor activities such as the Survival Game, orienteering and night hikes during our last day-evening. The girls built their own fires and cooked their own lunches over the open flame. Some of us were more successful than others in getting their fires started and as a result many treats were exchanged for extra matches. Nevertheless the three days were exciting and fun-filled for everyone.

TORONTO

Neither clouds nor rain nor hail, no, not even a lunar eclipse, could stop the Grade 6 Classes from their appointed departure for Toronto. On May 10 there were 33 students who left the Ottawa Station for 4 days of fantastic fun in and around our provincial capital!

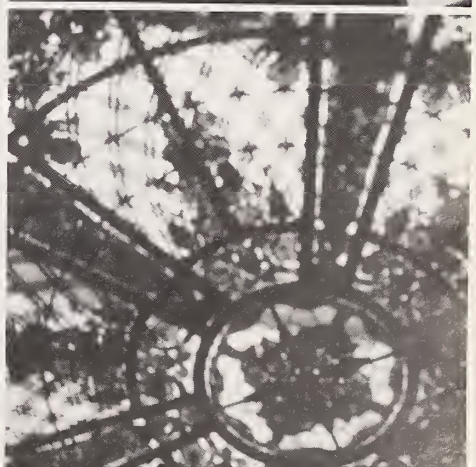
With Peter at the helm of our shiny red bus we manoeuvred through Toronto streets to the Science Centre, where we took a Bobsleigh run on an Olympic track with all the bumps, swerves and wind of the real thing thanks to an amazing virtual reality-type simulation machine! We pushed buttons, pulled ropes, got dizzy and altogether had a great time on this first day in T.O.

Secret passages, perfumed showers, a strange pool and a stable fit for human habitation greeted us on our second day at Casa Loma. The Conservatory, the Library and the Great Hall were just a few of the sights that created a fantasyland for our young travellers.

Marineland was quite a change from the hustle and bustle of the city. The Dolphins, Sealions, Seals and Killer Whales kept us all chuckling and in awe at both their antics and their beauty. A short drive away was Niagara Falls with its raw power and beauty which inspired us all.

From Nature's Wonder to Man's - Skydome minus the Jays and the CN Tower - rounded out our busy itinerary. The view of both these extraordinary structures was a fitting way to end our excursion.

Everyone returned with a suitcase filled with souvenirs, the usual stories about the sights and the billets as well as their own personal memories!



CHEMISTRY TRIP

In early April a small group of Senior Science students travelled to Toronto with the Senior Choir. While the Choir was off at the Independent Schools Music Festival Mrs. Page toured the Ontario Science Centre. The displays and hands-on activities held everyone's interest for the entire day. While waiting for their train ride home most girls spent the morning at Eaton Centre and after a relaxing lunch boarded the train for Ottawa and Elmwood.

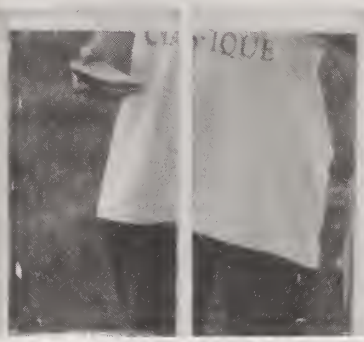
KINGSTON TRIP

On a cool Monday May 16th the Grade 7 students left for the first stage of their 3 day Kingston trip. Our first stop was at Upper Canada Village for a workshop entitled "Loyalists, the First Year". After a classroom orientation session the students were sent out into the wind to pitch a tent, cut wood, make a fire and cook lunch. After lunch the girls set about log cabin and furniture construction. They were somewhat successful at this. However we were all glad to board a warm bus for Kingston.

Having settled into accomodation at Queen's University and supper over we left for the highlight of the trip, an evening of bowling, rollerblading and dancing.

On the following day we visited Fort Henry where the students were dressed in army coats, shown around the fort, then drilled in marching. We followed this outing by taking the ferry to Wolfe Island and lunching at "The General Wolfe". Another highlight followed: shopping on Princess St. Back at Queen's we prepared for an evening of disco cruising on the St. Lawrence. It was super watching the girls improving their dance skills, in spite of being the only people aboard!

Wednesday, our final day, saw us at Foley mountain learning about the wee critters that live in a pond, and the art of orienteering. We returned to Elmwood, glad to be back, but with lots of happy memories.



C ALABOGIE

This year the Geography Department has completed another successful trip to Calabogie under the ideal conditions. The weatherman certainly looked upon us with favour.

Each fall the grade 9 class takes a field trip to the Carleton University Geology Field Center near Calabogie for a period of two and one half days. During this time the students are taught skills involving orienteering, mapping, field sketching, elementary surveying and stalking (capture the flag match!).

There is no question in the minds of the staff members that this is a valuable bonding experience, early in the year, for both staff and students. The positive energy generated in this situation is carried back into the classroom where it benefits all.

S TRATFORD

SHAW: And I saw these girls at the Theatre in Niagara-On-the-Lake, full of the Life Force, who came to see my St. Joan, which, to me, epitomizes all that is valuable in Human Existence. However, they seemed to enjoy the lighter fare of that writer Agatha Christie. They also discussed other plays called *Gypsy* and *The Mikado* which seemed to amuse them!

SHAKESPEARE:

Methinks, friend Shaw, you miss the point,
That we old Shades are warmed to life
Their young fresh minds our plays annoint
'Though wearied I with travel sore,
These plays can never fade or bore
An audience of any age
They come right off the page.

EXCHANGE

This year's Ontario Student Exchange Foundation offered Ardyth Correia and Alexandra Young a chance to visit two of Europe's most desirable and popular destinations for three months: Cannes on the Côte d'Azur, France and Lausanne on Lake Geneva, Switzerland. Needless to say, both girls had a superb time as they were given opportunities to visit other European sites, improve their language skills and make many new friends. For both girls, their application to take part on this exchange was the best decision they ever made. Elena Vinckenbosch and Anne Aurore Payant, our girls' exchange partners, quickly made friends here at Elmwood and soon became part of our extended Community. They appreciated the warm hospitality and unique family atmosphere that is Elmwood!

As part of Elmwood's ongoing link with Calrossy School in New South Wales, Australia we hosted two students, Susan Carmody and Carolyn Uptown for three months. Susie stayed with Meera Ruparelia and the Yates family while Carolyn was hosted by the McCloskey family. Both girls commented on their unique Winter Experience which would be the topic of conversation for years to come! They both fitted in well with their Senior School classmates and their volunteer work with the Junior School was greatly appreciated! They also thanked Elmwood for the generous hospitality they were offered during their stay!

S PAIN

On Friday March 11th, eight Elmwood students and two teachers left Canada on an overnight flight to Madrid and then to Malaga, where we stayed in a Benalmadena Costa seaside hotel. The next day we drove through the Andulusian mountains to reach the ancient town of Ronda. On our way back to Benalmadena our group stopped in a small town called Mijas, where some of us were gutsy enough to watch a bullfight while the others went shopping. The next day we took a ferry across the Straits of Gilbraltar to spend the day in Tangers, Morocco. Some of us had our pictures taken while riding a camel and others had a snake wrapped around their necks. Our trip had been so hectic up until then that we decided to take a relaxing day on the beach. Our next stop was Seville, where we had a guided tour of the major monuments of the city. We also saw a fabulous Flamence show. The next city we stayed in was Granada, where we toured the city and its famous Arabian fortress, the Alhambra. Our group also took a day trip to the famous ski resort "Sierra Nevada" with plenty of snow, in summer weather! That night was our last night in Spain before leaving for Madrid to catch our flight back to Canada.

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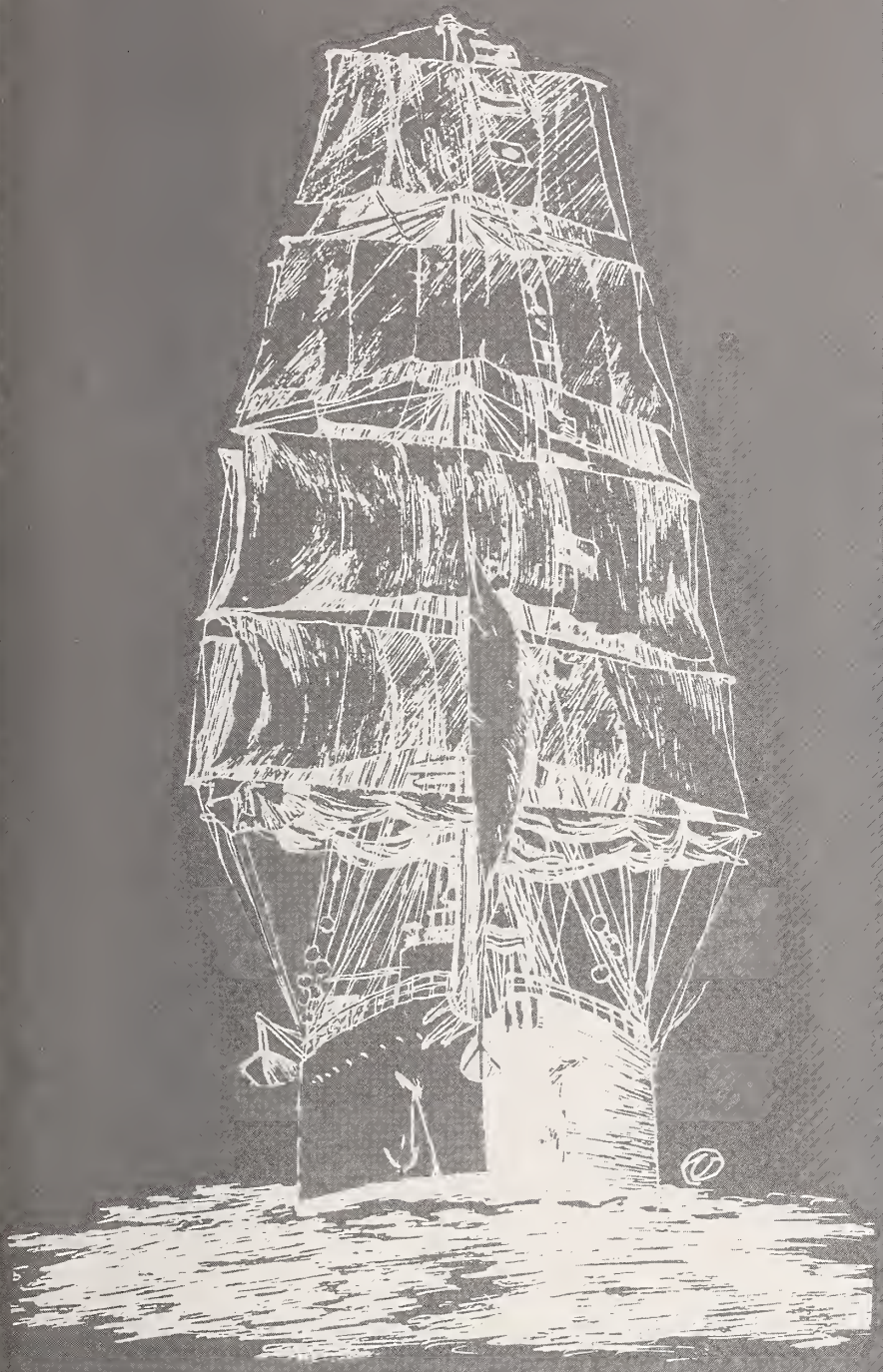


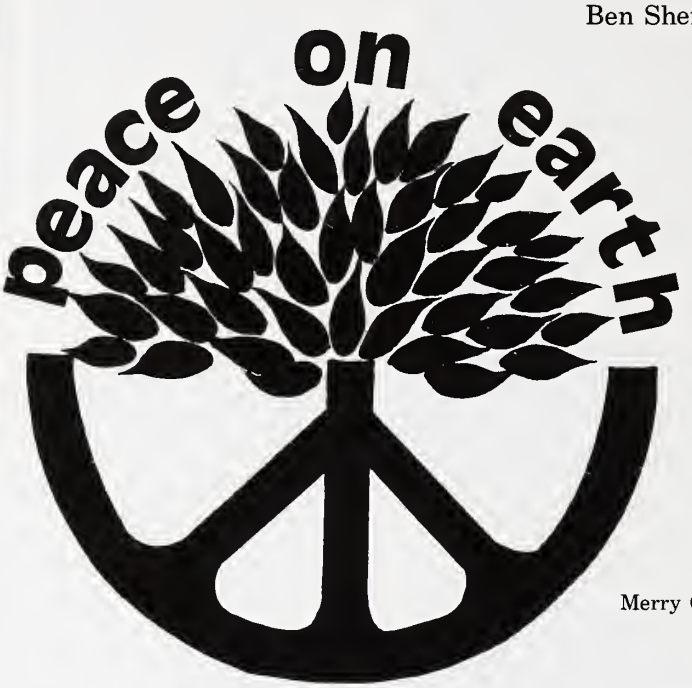
Hiroko Yoda
Grade 9
1st Prize Art

ART & LIT

Dear Santa,

This year I want Sega Genesis but for my second present I want to sponsor a child but the third thing I want peace in the whole world.

Ben Sherman, Grade 1



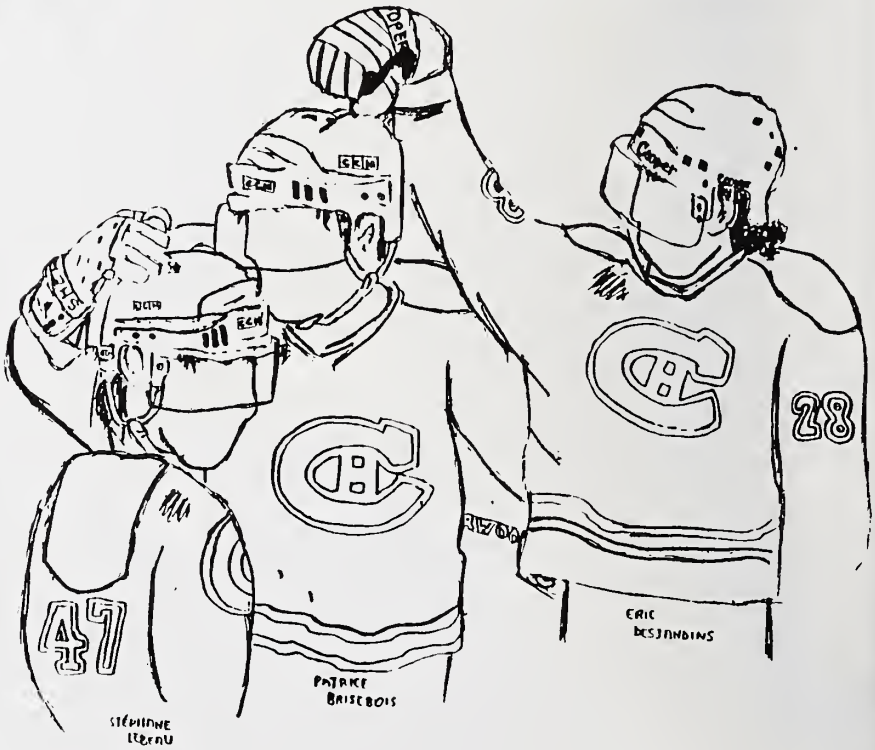
Merry Gani, Grade 12

Silly Snow Why Won't You Go!!!

You snowflakes keep on coming down
Falling all around on ground.
My mom is getting sick of you
And so are my brothers too!!
So go away until next winter
And just let the sun's rays glitter.
If only I could see a little horse play
Then I would know it was a lovely day.
I no longer need a tricycle
Because now I have a brand new bicycle.
Do let the sunny SUN come out
Or I will go inside and pout!

Julia Murray, Grade 4

Litharitza Vakopoulos, Grade 9



Dear Canada Hockey Team,

Congratulations! Sweden won, but that doesn't matter. Just keep on practicing you'll do better in four years. At least you won a silver medal. When are you going to retire? How long have you been training? I am very proud of you guys.

Yours truly,
Zenah Surani, Grade 2

Caroline Richards, Grade 10

JELLYFISH

Slimy, squishy,
Gliding, stinging, grabbing,
Tentacles, jelly, bumps, animal,
Catching, eating, swallowing,
Soft, round,
FISH

Julie Trudel, Grade 2

SHARK

Scary, humungus,
Crushing, swimming, speeding,
Teeth, head, tail, fins, gills,
Ripping, tearing, diving,
Quick, hungry,
FISH

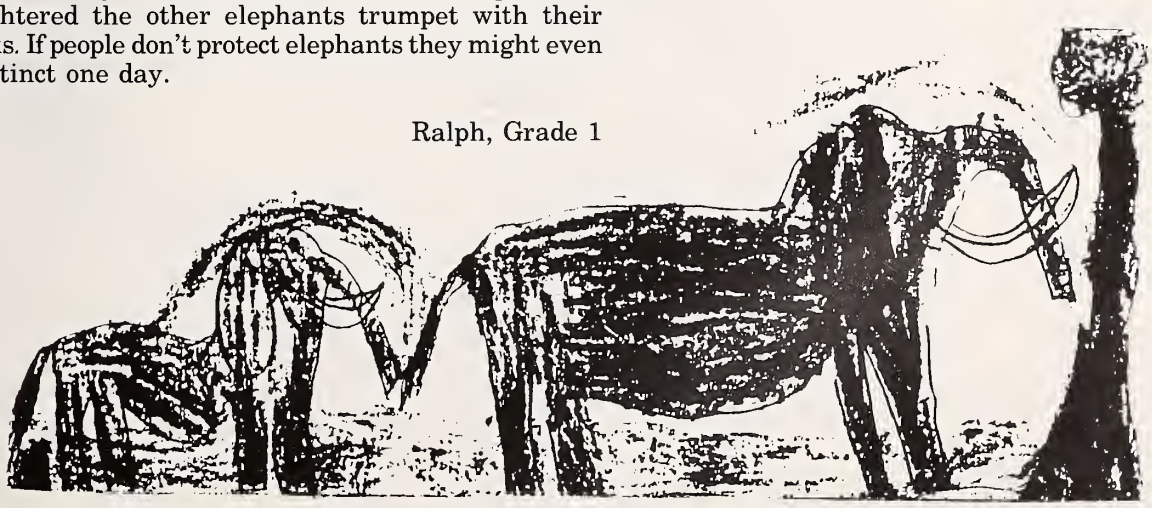
Anonymous

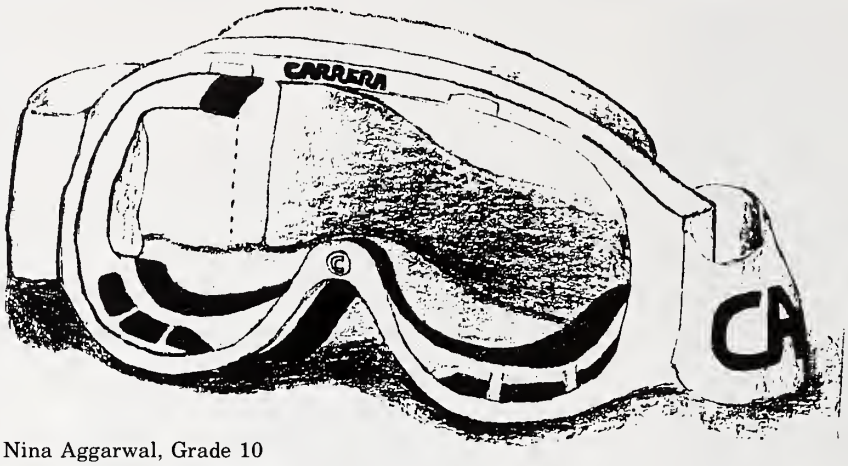
Adrienne Horton, Grade 7

Elephants

We have been learning about elephants. Elephants are endangered animals because poachers kill them for ivory. Elephants are very strong they can push down a tree with their tusks. The father is called bull, the mother cow, and the baby calf. Elephants are caring animals. They understand death. If an elephant is slaughtered the other elephants trumpet with their trunks. If people don't protect elephants they might even be extinct one day.

Ralph, Grade 1





Nina Aggarwal, Grade 10

Grumbles and Groans

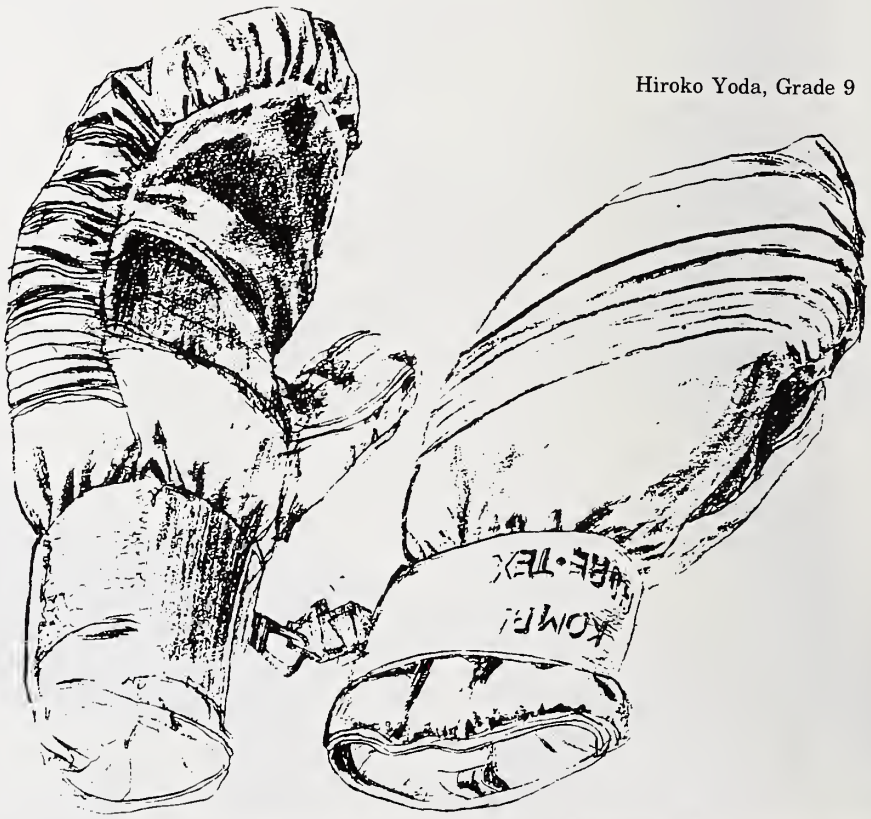
I wish that winter would end
I want to play with a friend
I want to go outside
And take my bike for a ride
How lovely it would be to be
Some flowers and leaves on a tree
So goodbye Winter and hello Spring
The sight of you would make me sing!

Alexandra Zarama, Grade 4

L'Ame D'Automne

Le soleil est chaud sur mon dos. Je ne m'accroche presque plus à ma petite branche située au nord d'un verger. C'est l'automne, et je suis presque prête à tomber de ma branche pour danser dans le vent avec toutes mes couleurs de jaune, orange, rouge et vert qui brillent au soleil. Quand mes couleurs changent j'aime regarder tous les enfants avec leurs parents qui visitent le verger. Ils me regardent avec de grands yeux excités. Maintenant je tombe, tombe, tombe, à terre. Le sol est presque tout couvert de feuilles colorées. Dans quelques minutes je vais être capturé par les bras du vent pour qu'il m'embrasse longtemps et qu'il me laisse enfin toute sèche, dans une autre cité avant que l'hiver vienne et qu'il m'endorme pour quelques mois. Je suis une feuille; une feuille morte.

Erica Blesa, Grade 8



Hiroko Yoda, Grade 9

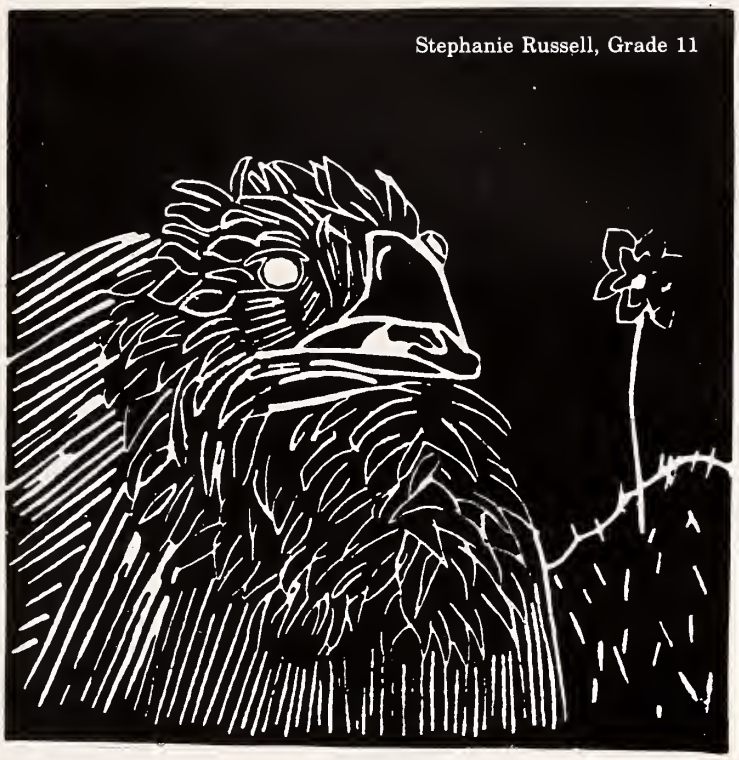
The sun is setting
The sky is an orange blur
The day slowly dies

The eagle soars high
Above the world he wanders
Proud and innocent

Sitting in the car
Waiting till the lights go green
It feels like two hours

Skyscrapers so tall
Towering over the earth
Like silent monsters

Alice McCleary, Grade 5



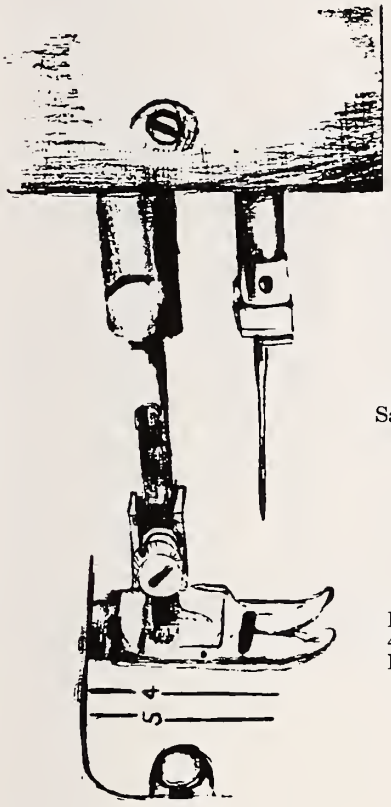
Stephanie Russell, Grade 11

A blue jay landed
on a snow covered pine tree
and then flew away

The snow swirled around
and whipped at my cold wet face
while it froze my nose

A single leaf fell
from an ancient maple tree
gently to the ground.

Karin Plyler, Grade 6



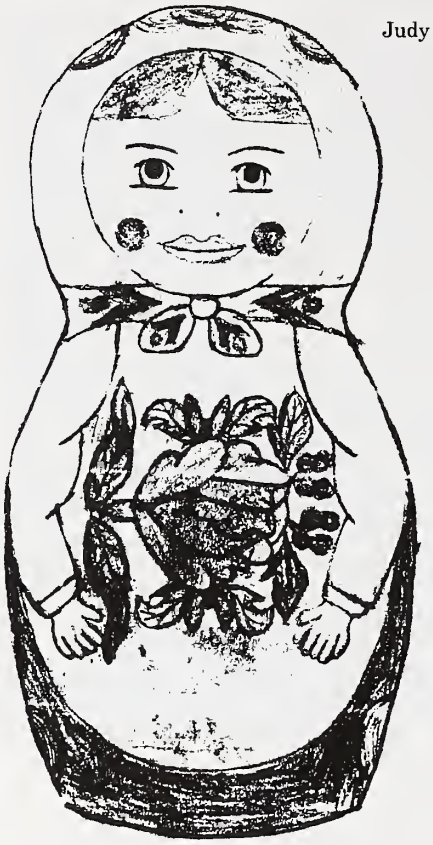
Sarah Zollinger, Grade 11

Karen Selody, Grade 8
4th Place Ottawa Volunteer
Bureau Contest

A Concerned Friend

"I'm not gonna let you go through this anymore. I can't believe all you've been through. Something desperately needs to be done - this is not right at all. How can anyone be that cruel and do the things they do and say the things that hurt. I'm sorry, but I am putting my foot down this time, I can't bear to see you like this. You don't deserve this - NO ONE does. I still can't believe all you've been through and how you survived -- and don't worry, this time it's over - forever - you have my word."

Maryam Kavehrad, Grade 11



Judy Lazier, Grade 8

My Best Friend

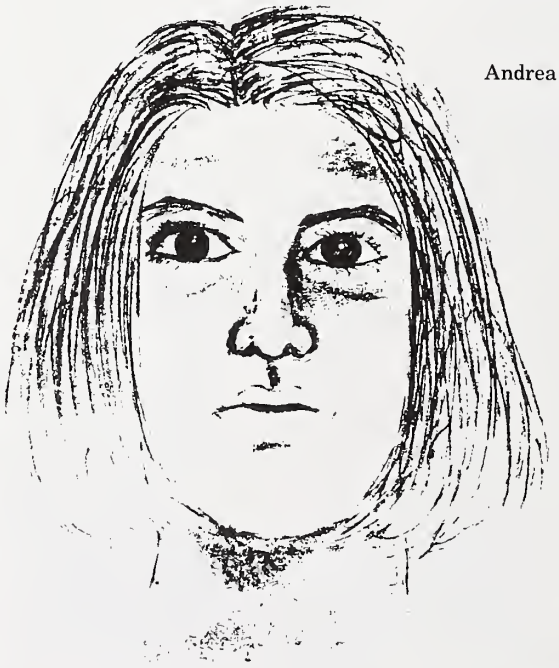
My best friend is my Mom because she plays with me and makes my lunch. She also cooks for me and helps me to do my homework and is good to me. She also sometimes drives me to school. She is very nice. Dad is special too!

Peter Leimbigler, Grade 2

My Friend that I had

I could have sworn she was there
My friend in white
She floated in the darkness
All through the night
But when I'd awake
She would not be near
And all I could do
Was shed a tear
I could have cried forever
But something stopped me.
It was the voice in the wind
That was calling my name
I ran outside, and there she was
As I waved goodbye
I closed my eyes tight
And blew her a kiss with all my might
The pain is still here
And forever it would be
For my friend was like a sister to me
She's in my heart
And that's where she'll stay
I hope I can last another day
Now you're up there for good, not bad
Oh, how I wish you were here
My friend that I had.

Amira Bada'an, Grade 9



Andrea Gilpin, Grade 10

All About My Dad

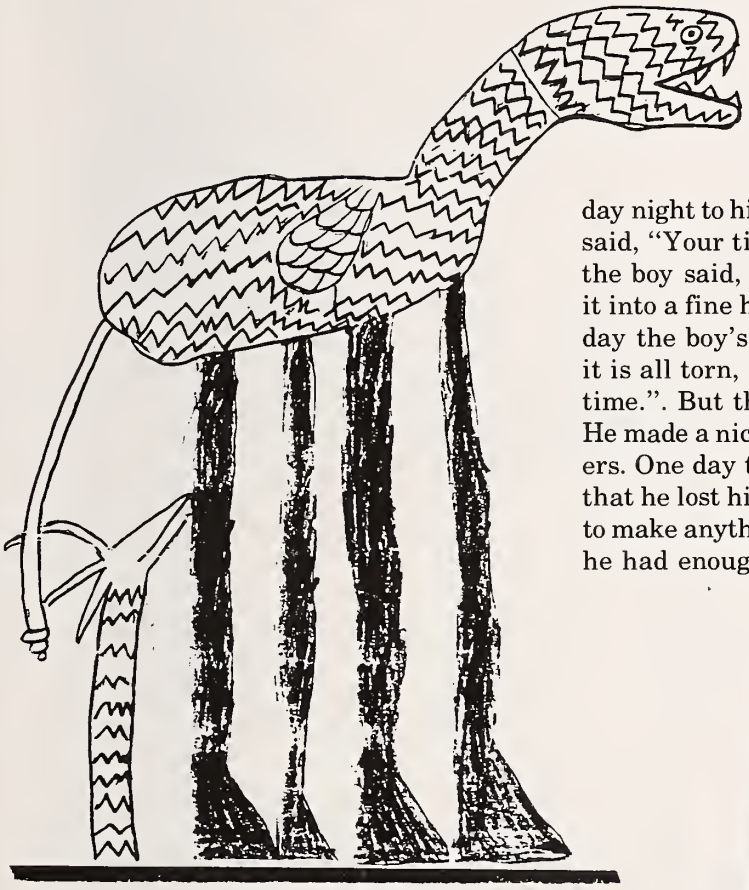
My dad likes apples, bananas, oranges and spaghetti. My dad likes to drive trucks. My dad likes to work in the army. My dad's eyes are blue. He is tall and he has brown hair. My dad has big ears. He has long feet. My dad is happy and he likes to play tennis with me. He likes to read books from work. I love my dad.

Harriet Lerwill, Grade 3

Rexaelephagle

This animals name is Rexaelephagle. He has a T-rex head, eagle wings, elephant legs and a snake tail. The Rexaelephagle eats people. The Rexaelephagle is poisonous and can fly. I would never like to meet the Rexaelephagle.

Rajan Pandher, Grade 3



Something From Nothing

There was once an old man who loved to sew. He made lots of things for his grandson such as a blanket. Once the little boy's mother said that it was frazzled and torn. It was time to throw it out. But the little boy said, "Grandpa can fix it." and Grandpa did. He made it into a fine jacket outside. One day the little boy's mother said, "Your jacket is all crinkled and torn it's time to throw it away.". But the boy said, "Grandpa can fix it." and he did. He made it into a vest. The next day when he went to school he wore the vest. One day the boy's mother said, "Your vest is all torn, it is time to throw it out". But the little boy said, "Grandpa can fix it." and he did. But he made it into a fine tie. The boy wore it every Friday night to his Grandpa's house. One day the boy's mother said, "Your tie is all torn, it is time to throw it out." But the boy said, "Grandpa can fix it." and he did, he made it into a fine handkerchief. He put his rocks in there. One day the boy's mother said, "Look at your Handkerchief, it is all torn, it is time to throw it out and I mean it this time.". But the boy said grandpa can fix it. And he did. He made a nice button. He wore the button on his suspenders. One day the boy lost the button. He told his grandpa that he lost his button. His grandpa had no more material to make anything else. The next day the boy went to school, he had enough material to make a wonderful story.

Rebeka Lauks, Grade 1

Him

He always made me laugh
Even when I was sad
He never raised his hand
Even when I was bad
He always let me stay up late
When my favourite t.v. show was on
He'd search my room for monsters
But always missed one
For nights I spent alone with him
I couldn't wait to see the sun.

Olivia Waters, Grade 9

Emily Sheehan, Grade 8

It was another ordinary Saturday when Paul and Paula, the Morrison twins were stuck alone in the house while their single mother was at a business conference until 7:00 at night.

They played games with their cocker spaniel, Rufus. At about lunch time they decided to go to the park. They locked the door and took Rufus. One short block and they were at Central Park. They bought hot dogs and sat down on a bench. Paula saw something shiny underneath the bench, so she picked it up. It was a key, and almost exactly like the one around Paul's neck with string.

They went home because they were getting hot and they were very tired. When they got inside the house, they locked the door again, except with the wrong key.

They went into the living room and lay down on the couch. Soon both twins were fast asleep. Rufus licked Paul's face and Paul woke up. He saw that the whole house was pitch black and there was no T.V.!

He reached over and shook Paula to wake her. She yawned and looked at Paul. "We slept a long time. Is Mom home yet?" Paul paused to answer. "I don't know, let's check." Working together in the dark, they groped their way to the kitchen, where they lit a candle. In the kitchen they saw a calendar which said March 1894. They stared in amazement. They opened the back door and went outside. There were no other houses, no street lamps, and it was farmland as far as the eye could see. Their clothes were different too, kind of ratty and brownish.

Paula looked at Paul and discovered the key was still around his neck. They checked the front door and realized the key in it was not their house key, but the key they had found in the park - the park that had disappeared, leaving forest and fields in its place.

Hiroko Yoda, Grade 9

At first, they were afraid to touch the key in the door, because strange and scary things already had happened because of it. Then Paula reached out and unlocked the door and removed the key. Paul put the house key in the door instead, and relocked the door.

Behind them a whirling sound grew louder and a black funnel cloud surrounded them and circled them. For a few seconds, they saw nothing but black. Then it was light. They dashed into the kitchen and looked out the window, where they saw a huge billboard that said: Elvis rocks New York! They looked at the calendar and it was now March 1960 . . .

Vanessa Arnold, Grade 5

Emily Sheehan, Grade 8

Her Purr

Her purr
that quiet murmur
would introduce her -
and draw you to her.

Purple shirts
stained
with amber fur
remind you of her.

Her misleading gur-r-r-r
like a tiny panther
should not disturb
(It is the hiss-s-s you should heed . . .)

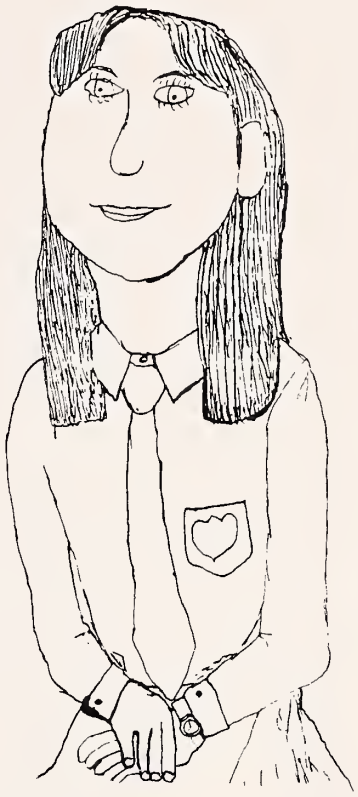
She is a fat ball of fur
and a welcome growl-purr-
how lovely
to know her.

Karen Selody, Grade 8

MY MOTHER

Trees will bow down when they feel your presence, and
Rocks will crumble in awe at your approach, and
Rivers will run away, and mountains will kneel
    And to all this you think you have no effect . . .
The sky is your highway that comes to divide
Four ways to choose from and you see the sun, and
The grass quivers and the moon wilts and the flowers
    - who are vain and show little respect -
Strain to catch a glimpse of your passing - daring to seek YOU out.
Accepting the seasons of year and of life, you with your heart
and the eyes in your mind while you continue to think that
    How little you know . . .
But this forest was planted by your strength, and
This valley was formed from your tears, and
This melody that drifts from a nation in mourning
    - obnoxious and cocky to think they're your equal -
Few understanding the power you own, in
Playing the lightning, never the thunder and
Being director, but never the star and
bleeding so slowly so others may live . . .
Yet you continue to find time to fly, and dance and dive
In this sky that you own - it is yours, but you don't see -
    You think you have no effect . . .
Please! Soar now - the shadow child needs you -
Please! Win now - the water baby is dying -
Please! Resist the temptation to give in -
But, no! Never - you are determination defined.
But know this:
    If ever you should be hunted by those who may mistake you
      For a common belief or virtue
    If ever your wings are clipped, you begin to fall -
Climb the stair, and I'll be there waiting in the wings to applaud.
It may not be loud, incessant or bold; however
It is my gift to you to be carried always
While the hunger strikes chord and your lullaby turns to a realism.
This wind - Do you hear it? Touch it - it's yours!
This thorn and this beauty are you. Look down - never back -
It's changing, but slow. The cry of that baby
falls heavy and hard on your ears, doesn't it? I know;
And the tortured look given by that wolf in a cage
And the turtle on steroids, and the snake in the house with
deceptive smiles and doors that lead only in -
  And yet you fail to see the relief your freedom has given.
You struggle - it boggles the mind how you - YOU
  - and yet it goes without saying -
  - it's part of your nature -
But to all this you think you have no effect . . .
If only you knew: Try to understand just how much your forest,
Your river, your nest depend on your noble wing
My eagle, My mother . . .

Trudy Davies, OAC



Jenny Perrin, Grade 8

Ugly School Girl In An Egg Cup
Natasha Kyle, Grade 10

THE BULLFROG AND THE DRAGONFLY

There once was a young bullfrog whose favourite pastime was to parade around his pond, his head held arrogantly high. This bullfrog thought very highly of himself, and imagined that everyone else did also. He pictured the young female bullfrogs swooning with delight when he passed, and his male peers watching him with a mixture of envy and admiration. He imagined the elderly inhabitants of the pond gazing proudly upon him, thinking him an incredible asset to their lovely pond. Of course, not one creature in the pond thought things even close to his imaginings.

One day, a young dragonfly was zipping about when he came across Bullfrog's pond. It was a beautiful day; the sky was a perfect blue and the sun was fresh and warm. When he spotted the pond, Dragonfly was immediately attracted to it. The surface of the water was a quiet, peaty-green mirror that reflected the sky. Fluffy brown cat-tails bobbed lazily back and forth in the slight breeze. Little Spring flowers were blooming in the grasses at the bank of the pond. Dragonfly was dazzled and amazed; he immediately took up residence there.

That night, Bullfrog hopped up to his perch and took a deep breath before his night-time croak. Suddenly, a small something whizzed by his face, surprising him.

"Who are you?" Bullfrog demanded indignantly, his hands on his green hips. Dragonfly heard him and flew back, hovering just in front of his nose. "Hello, I'm Dragonfly," he said. "Who are you?"

Bullfrog puffed himself up proudly. "I am Bullfrog," he replied, "and I'm the best in the world. I'm just about to release the most magnificent croak you've ever heard."

Dragonfly eyed him doubtfully. "Oh, I don't know. You don't look all that powerful. And I've heard some pretty good croaks in my day."

Bullfrog scowled at him. "None better than mine," he repeated.

"Oh, I think so," said Dragonfly.

Bullfrog was furious. "I'll show YOU!!!" he shouted, and began to suck up air in big breaths as Dragonfly watched with interest. Bullfrog took breath after enormous breath of the chilly night air.

His throat was now an incredible bulge that blocked out everything. Dragonfly noticed droplets of sweat beginning to form on his throat, the warm yellow of a duck's egg.

Bullfrog took one last breath, heaving and straining with the effort of finding room for it. Suddenly he exploded with a massive BANG that echoed through the quiet night around the pond.

MORAL = Don't kill yourself while trying to prove yourself to others.

Kate Lunau, Grade 7

The Bullfrog and the Dragonfly by Kate Lunau, Grade 7
Clay Fruit Bowl by Judith Lazier, Grade 8
Flower Woodcut by Rana Mokhtar, Grade 10
Undersea Montage, *The Living Sea,* by Grade 2

A • B • C

*A*lexandra Peggy Diane Young was born on a snowy night in December 1978.
*B*arbara was her mother's name and John was her father.
*C*hristmas was always full of surprises for Alex, sister Allison and brother Stewart.
*D*addy's little girl, that's what she was called!
*E*leven days after Christmas Alexandra was christened at St. Andrew's Church.
*F*riends were always around to share the love of the household.
*G*rowing up she travelled around Canada, the USA and Europe.
*H*olidays to the Barbados with the "extended" family were always her favourite.
*I*ona was her best friend - her favourite doll that went everywhere with her.
*J*oanna was what many thought she should have been called because she was so much like, and always with, her father.
*K*ids were not always around, with older siblings and professional parents she was often "hanging out" with adults.
*L*ove was never missing from her family.
*M*any times the whole family would get together - aunts, uncles, cousins.
*N*ewfoundland was a special summer place with mother's family.
*O*ne BIG family, full of love, friendship and happiness.
*P*iano-playing, dancing and horseback riding were favourite camp activities.
*Q*ueen of the Family, or, at least, that's how she was treated.
*R*abbits, cats, dogs and horses all animals were loved.
*S*kiing down slopes or across a field was great fun (other than the broken knees).
*T*ripping, falling down - what a KLUTZ - an appropriate nickname!
*U*nderneath these surfaces is a lucky girl who often didn't want to grow up.
*V*eterinary Medicine was one good reason to grow up - a vocation!
*W*inning wasn't everything but when mother put the medals and trophies in the cabinet it made her proud.
X-rays, x-rays and more x-rays on arms, knees, ankles and toes.
*Y*oung, even when she grows older she'll always be a 'Young'.
*Z*estful! You're not fully clean unless you're Zestfully Clean!

Alexandra Young, Grade 10

D esperately craving to munch on a juicy human for Supper
R oaring with his mouth right open letting out big flames of fire. This is a sign to stay away.
A lways on the lookout for any other creature who would come and disturb his slumber.
G reen with blue wings, yellow spots down his chest and purple spikes down his chest and tail.
O utrageously tempermental in every way.
N ever go near this horrible dragon or you may never walk away.
S tephanie Dostaler, Grade 7

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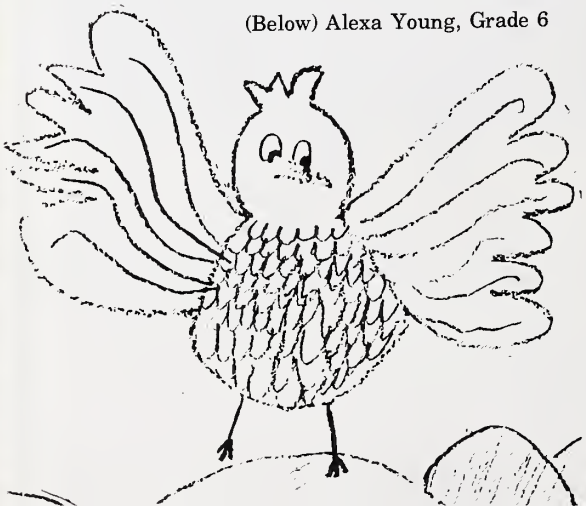
the eagle

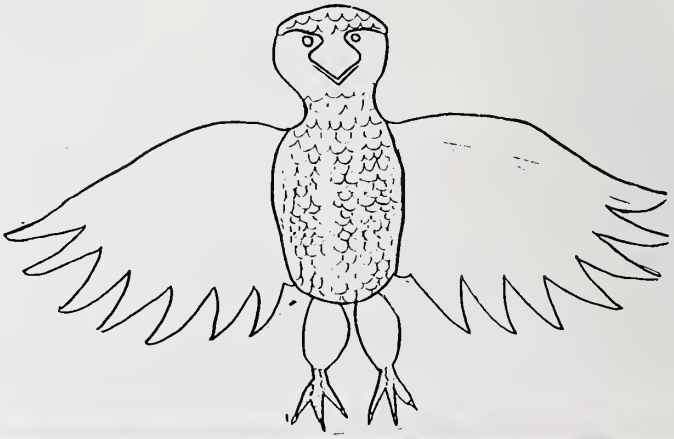
Colleen McManus, Grade 9

Hiroko Yoda, Grade 9

(Below) Alexa Young, Grade 6



(Below) Joy Rank, Grade 6



SPORTS

Junior Basketball

This year our Grade 7 & 8 Junior Basketball Team participated in the Carleton Roman Catholic Separate School Basketball League. Games were played two and sometimes three times a week, leaving little time for practices. However, the members of the team were quick learners and their performance improved dramatically every time they stepped on the Court.

Many thanks go to Jason Jarrett, the coach of the team who came to us from the University of Ottawa. His patience and understanding allowed the team to develop their skills quickly. The girls are to be commended for their enthusiasm and positive attitude. Each player encouraged and supported the other members of the team. They represented Elmwood well both on and off the Court and it was a privilege to work with this fine group of athletes.

K. Leeman

Back Row - Left to Right: Alison Booth, Jyoti Aggarwal, Erica Blesa, Sarah Wilson, Bridget Adrian, Stephanie Appotive, Jessica Romkey, Sharon Nimrod, Allison Grimsey, Teki Akuetteh, Jason Jarrett Front Row - Left to Right: Mrs. Leeman, Hannah Roessler, Becce Merkley, Monika Merchea, Adrienne Horton, Erin Walker, Emily Sheehan, Adriana Cepeda (Manager)

Jr/Sr Basketball

The pressure to get a Junior Basketball team going this year seems to be even more stressful than in previous years - earlier scheduled games and trips out of the School, leave fewer players and evenings to prepare for the concentrated season. However, our record seems to improve every year!

This year the Junior Team advanced to the semi-finals where they lost out to the eventual Championship team! It was an excellent effort by all the team members - the opportunities were there - but the breaks were not!

The season was marked by what might seem humourous incidents. Team members being dropped off at the wrong School only to be rescued by Mrs. Gundy . . thanks for a fantastic season . . it was great!

G. Yates

Back Row - Left to Right: Hiroko Yoda, Liette Berube, Litharitza Vakopoulos, Carrie Miller, Erin McCloskey, Kate McCloskey, Nina Aggarwal Front Row - Left to Right: Juliette Gundy, Alicia Robinson, Natasha Kyle, Caroline Richards, Bianca Rousseau

Cross - Country Running

Cross Country Running . . . Noon-Hour Training . . . Oh, those hills . . . always trying our hardest . . . the fresh air and the sunshine (and, oh yes, the cold and the rain!!!) . . . GREAT feelings of exhilaration.

We prepared all year for the various meets that we were to compete in: the Catholic School Board Meet at Terry Fox Field, the United Way Fun Run and the Sedbergh Meet.

Participants: Adrienne Horton, Alice Johnston, Martine Paget, Katherine Langford, Alexandra Eden-Walker, Michelle Taggart, Natalie Piazza, Jessica Barnes, Paula Romkey, Karen Chan, Emma Whitehead, Nicole Choo, Lindsay Appotive, Kyla Armstrong-Miller, Alice McCleary, Alexa Young, Alexandra McCoomb, Sarah Burns, Jessica Walker, Kalessy Lasserre, Julie Lafleche, Allison Near, Celeste Lang, Sarah Bragg, Lacy Lauks, Michelle Bissada, Kathy McNulty, Brinkley Zagerman, Darcie Wilson, Celine Chebil, Jennifer Normand, Alex Ramsden, Katie Lazaro, Jennifer Haughton, Meera Ruparelia, Dena Roberts.

Senior Basketball

Once again this year there was enough interest in Basketball to field two senior level teams. This involved a total of thirty individuals active every night after school - their effort and enthusiasm was tremendous!

For the Senior Eagles, this was very much a re-building year as our 1 WIN and 9 loss record would indicate! But these individuals, all but 4 of Junior team age, focussed on goals rather than winning and our single victory was a rewarding bonus! But that victory showed the girls that they can put it all together when they stick to the "game" plan. Their determination and superior effort were a joy to behold!

G. Yates

Back Row - Left to Right: Michelle Johnston, Sarah Glinski, Amira Bada'an, Stephanie Russell, Monica Agarwal, Alex Woloschuk Front Row - Left to Right: Alison Meloche, Vanessa Brandt-Rousseau, Amy Throop, Sarah Zollinger, Sally Crate

Junior Soccer

This year in order to accomodate a longer Basketball season, the Grade 7 & 8 Soccer was limited to a One-Day Tournament. It was held on a frosty Thursday in October on the fields of Blackburn Hamlet. We went prepared with good soccer skills, plenty of enthusiasm, food and a warm tent. The girls played well but did not manage to make the Semis. Their enthusiasm and good sportsmanship made them a pleasure to coach! Thanks to Paula Gilbert, Ms. McKenzie-Lawrence and Mrs. Hackett for their support. Thanks, also, to you girls for a great day!

J. O'Brien

Team 1: Julie Hakim; Adrienne Horton, Anjana Malik, Amanda Veillette, Jennifer Normand, Alexandra Eden-Walker, Alice Johnston, Becce Merkley, Bridget Adrian, Adriana Cepeda, Marjorie Cole, Emily Sheehan, Hannah Roessler, Erica Blesa. *Team 2:* Ariane Zalatan, Anna Bretzlaff, Kimberley Baldwin, Elizabeth Clarke, Kyla Armstrong-Miller, Erin Walker, Jessica Barnes, Stephanie Appotive, Avneet Basi, Natalie Piazza, Michelle Taggart, Cait Koss, Alison Booth

Tennis

This year's Tennis team had a very successful season! In regular season play, the team defeated Canterbury, Laurentian, Woodroffe, and Charlebois. Our successes qualified us for the City Championships held at the Ottawa Athletic Club provided for great competition and we had a fine showing! Congratulations to the team for all their work on the practice and the game court! Thanks to Tanya Magnus, the team Manager, who kept us focussed, warmed up and ready to go! Thanks also to Mrs. Neale who helped with the coordination for all our games. A VERY SPECIAL thanks must go out to the boys from Ashbury who helped us reach our goals this year: Alistair and Andrew Cheung, Alykhan Shanji and Ross Hendin. THANKS for a great season - David Wu our VERY patient and inspiring coach!

Left to Right: Tanya Magnus, Véronique French, Katie Lazaro, Himali Katugaha, Miranda Young

European Handball

Handball is a relatively new sport in the Carleton Board Association. Because of this, funding was cut and all transportation costs were abandoned. We therefore looked elsewhere and arranged games with St. Pat's in the Ottawa Roman Catholic Board. We had a super after-school event: games, then mixing because of St. Pat's expertise, plus pizza and socializing!

Back Row, Left to Right: Erica Blesa, Monika Merchea, Becce Merkley, Anjana Malik. Front Row, Left to Right: Hannah Roessler, Jessica Romkey, Julie Hakim, Elizabeth Clarke, Mrs. O'Brien.

Golf

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

O.B.E.: Hello Elmwood. The golf tournament is next Monday.

ELMWOOD: Monday . . . as in *seven* days from now?

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

COACH: Not today -- it's pouring out. We'll try to sneak in a quick 9-hole practice tomorrow morning before Sports Afternoon.

TEAM: But we haven't played since August. Help!!

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 27

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: Thank you all for participating. It was a great day. Even the weather co-operated, delaying the rain until all 85 players had completed the round. This year we have two team trophies to award. The first goes to the school team which has the lowest three scores overall: the winner is Brookfield. The second trophy goes to the best women's team with the lowest two scores to count: the winner is Elmwood whose Cameron Blott also posted the second best women's score for the round.

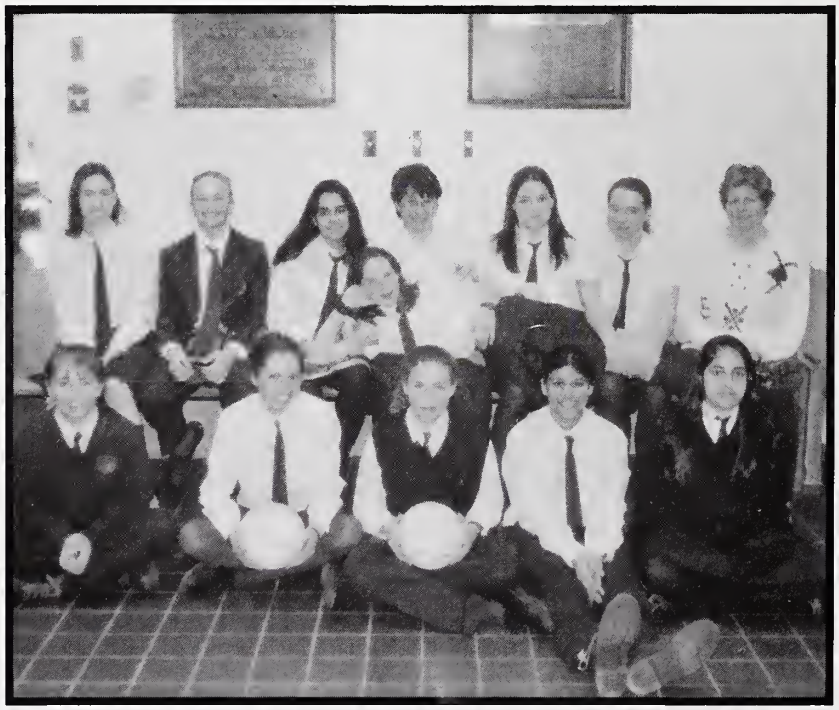
From Left: Cameron Blott, Alison Meloche, Mrs. Knowlton, Laura McCormack.

Junior Volleyball

The Junior Volleyball team played in a league with the Carleton Separate Board during the month of April. The girls played a great number of games in a relatively short period of time. They won some and they lost some -- most losses (other than those versus Leo D. Cote) were close. The skill level was high and we had many compliments on our sportsmanship!

Back Row, Left to Right: Mrs. O'Brien, Natalie Piazza, Hannah Roessler, Emily Sheehan, Julie Hakim, Stephanie Hanna, Bridget Adrian, Becce Merkley. Front Row, Left to Right: Alexandra Eden-Walker, Adrienne Horton, Anjana Malik, Erica Blesa, Monika Merchea.

Jr/Sr Volleyball



The Junior/Senior Volleyball Team had another great season, with the team advancing to the City Championships (OBE Finals) for the fifth year in a row! The team practised for two months prior to the season and their efforts, hard work, endless drills and push-ups paid off as our season record was 7 wins and 1 loss. The Team's great spikes and powerful servers were great weapons, and their spirit and enthusiasm were always high. A terrific, talented team and an excellent season!

Mrs. Neale

Back Row, Left to Right: Juliette Gundy, Amy Throop, Litharitza Vakopoulos, Carrie Miller, Stephanie Russell, Alicia Robinson, Kate McCloskey, Mrs. Neale. Front Row, Left to Right: Tanya Manus, Veronique French, Natasha Kyle, Himali Katugaha, Natalie Gandilo.

Senior Volleyball

As every coach and player knows, there is a difference between practice and play. The Senior Volleyball Team found out very quickly that some of the other teams within our division had improved their play significantly from last year. Within a space of three games our team lost two games, something that had not happened in two previous years . . . we had not lost more than a single game in our two championship years!!! We did not allow ourselves to panic and we just practised that much harder. Obviously, this idea had some merit as we won our next seven games, finishing the season in second place with a record of 8 wins and only those 2 initial losses.

The playoffs brought us exciting and deserved victories over Redeemer Christian (whom we met in the Final last year) and Notre Dame. Then it was off to the City Championships for the fourth straight year!!! However, it was not our day and Woodroffe managed to slip by us in three well-played matches. Oh well, you can't win all the time and you can learn as many lessons in defeat as you can in victory!

Mr. McCabe

Back Row, Left to Right: Susan Kes, Monica Aggarwal, Robin Booth, Sarah Zollinger, Monica Singhal. Middle Row, Left to Right: Michelle Johnston, Kim Schryburt, Alison Meloche, Nancy Schryburt, Kathleen Terroux. Front Row: Renée London (left), Vanessa Rousseau (right).

Rowing

1994 saw the resurrection of the Rowing Club. Training began in the winter term with potential rowers running stairs. Spring brought the filling of the Rideau Canal and sculls zig-zagging Dow's Lake. Sixteen members of the Club practised staying afloat (some more successfully than others) at the 6:45 a.m. session or the 4:00 p.m. session. All the girls improved their sculling skills tremendously. I personally was impressed with their persistence and dedication. A special thank you to the moms who provided early morning refreshments. See you on the lake in September!

K. Leeman

A relaxing row at 6:30 am on Dow's Lake.

DOWNHILL SKIING

Gold means best, #1, champions -- it also means the Elmwood Ski Teams 1994, both Novice and Competitive.

The Novice Team members are those girls who have been involved in Friday night training but have had no previous racing experience. That means that Caroline Ashekian, Robin Booth, Veronique French, Sarah Glinski, Erica Morris and Amy Throop learned all they know about racing with Elmwood. Well, it seems that they have learned a great deal as they came through the season undefeated. As well, the team's first place finish was equalled by Amy Throop who tied for first overall.

The Competitive Team's experienced racers faced a serious challenge at the Nepean Invitational Meet as well as at the Ottawa Valley Championships. Against the best that the O.B.E. and the C.B.E. had to offer, they were victorious! With Sarah Glinski ensuring a team finish and improving her performance each outing, Bridget and Tanya consistently in the top ten, and Cameron Blott being #1 every time, the Elmwood team was simply unbeatable. They won the Ann Heggtveit Trophy, symbolic of the O.B.E. Championship, as well as the Ottawa Valley Championship.

Both teams are sad to see Cameron leave because she has been a coach and guide as well as the best skier in the league. Thank you for everything Cameron, you have our best wishes in all your future endeavours.

Left Picture, from Back Left to Right: Sarah Mayes, Sandra Quiros-Navas, Veronique French. Front Left to Right: Mme. Knowlton, Robin Booth, Caroline Ashekian, Sarah Glinski. Bottom: Erica Morris. Bottom Left Picture, Left to Right: Bridget Adrian, Sarah Glinski, Tanya Magnus, Cameron Blott, Amy Throop. Bottom Right Picture: The Trophy we won!

Senior Soccer

The Senior Soccer Team completed a tough, competitive season by qualifying for the City Quarter-Finals. This single playoff was only decided after a double Overtime and Penalty Kicks . . . the day's luck was with our Opposition but the girls played extremely well! The team was young, keen and talented! We matched up well against our divisional rivals from Canterbury, St. Pats, and Rideau. High Scorers for Elmwood were Jehanne Jooste and Juliette Gundy. SPECIAL thanks to Kevin London whose assistance, expertise and coaching raised our level of play considerably.

Back Row, Left to Right: Vanessa Brandt-Rousseau, Laura McCormack, Litharitza Vakopoulos, Natasha Kyle, Caroline Richards, Alicia Robinson, Tanya Magnus, Michelle Johnson, Mrs. Neale Front Row, Left to Right: Juliette Gundy, Alison Meloche, Andrea Mendell, Amy Throop, Erin McCloskey, Kate McCloskey, Julie Glazier, Jehanne Jooste and Cameron Blott Absent: Kevin London

Tae Kwon Do

Tae Kwon-Do is a Korean martial art which was founded in 1955 by General Choi Hong Hi and eleven years later the International Tae Kwon-Do Federation was formed. Since that time, Tae Kwon-Do has grown in popularity all over the World, including here at Elmwood.

Under the instruction of Mr. Phap Lu, who is a sixth degree Black Belt and a student of General Choi, new students have begun to learn the importance of courtesy, integrity, perseverance, self-control, and of having an indomitable spirit as it applies to everyday life as well as to the martial arts. In teaching the intricate skills involved in Tae Kwon-Do, Mr. Lu also teaches the importance of physical activity and keeping fit.

Tara Chauhan (Black Belt)
Jody O'Brien (Co-ordinator)

Mrs. Jody O'Brien and in Grade Order/Alphabetical Order: *GR 1:* Carolyn Bartlett, Robert Cushing, Marisa Heymans, Lucas Huang, Sebastien Krell, John McNulty, Erin Taylor, Michael Wallack *GR 2:* Rony Eyamie, Alexander Laborie, Peter Leimbigler, Nazir Savji, Antonio Silva Marques, Zenah Surani, Julie Trudel *GR 3:* James Hall, Nicolas Krell, Andrew Northern, Jaap Verdegaal *GR 4:* Siddarth Gojer, Graham Page, Raheem Savji, Douglas Young *GR 5:* Vanessa Arnold, Jennifer Hulsemann, Alexandra McCoomb, Jade Puddington, Sarah Valiant *GR 6:* Elise Chehowski *GR 7:* Jennifer Normand, Ella Rickit, Kirsten Weld *GR 8.* Julie Hakim, Rebecca Walsh *OAC:* Tara Chauhan

Touch Football

This was the Junior Football Team's first season in league play and we learned a great deal. We were part of the Carleton Separate Board and played a number of games -- we lost a few, won one and tied one. We had good kick-offs, great punts, a few interceptions and a touchdown. Over the course of the season, the girls improved tremendously and received many compliments on the calibre of their play. Congratulations to the entire team for an excellent season!

Back Row, Left to Right: Monika Merchea, Becce Merkley, Stephanie Hanna, Stephanie Appotive, Emily Sheehan. Middle Row, Left to Right: Hannah Roessler, Jessica Romkey, Elizabeth Clarke, Anjana Malik, Mrs. O'Brien. Front Row, Left to Right: Adrienne Horton, Natalie Piazza, Alexandra Eden-Walker.

Swim Team

The Senior Swim Team had a very successful season this year. The swimmers competed in two mini meets during the months of October and November against teams from Glebe, Lisgar, Nepean, Hillcrest, Brookfield, St. Pat's and Immaculata. Even though we faced tough rivals from these schools, the team was competitive.

In November, the Team competed in the qualifying meet for the City Championships and the City Championship Meet. This Meet was held at the Nepean Sportsplex on Friday, November 26, 1993. Nine girls represented Elmwood at the Meet in several races. The Novice Girls' Relay Team made up of Jennifer Haughton, Caroline Richards, Jacynthe Barbeau, Meera Ruparelia and Alicia Robinson improved their qualifying time by six seconds in the consolation final!

Back Row, Left to Right: Jennifer Haughton, Meera Ruparelia, Caroline Richards, Bianca Rousseau, Natasha Kyle, Alicia Robinson. Front Row, Left to Right: Laura McCormack, Erin McCloskey

SOFTBALL

The Softball Team's only games this year were at Havergal's "Raggedy Ann" Tournament in Toronto on a beautiful, sunny Saturday in May. Of the ten teams at the Tournament, ours exhibited perhaps the best combination of desire, spirit and sportsmanship.

Within our division, we won two and lost two games; we then played a game against a team from a second division and won, giving us an official ranking of fifth. However, all the teams from our division beat their opponents from the second division, making us unofficially third. This is no mean feat considering we had snow on the ground at Elmwood until late April while the other teams (being from southern Ontario) had warm weather in early April.

Even the bus trips (and stops) were interesting; the girls induced many a trucker to blow his horn, spotted several vehicles with just one headlight, "limbo'ed" and generally danced with delight.

The girls represented Elmwood very well. Congratulations to all members of the team for their effort and enthusiasm.

Mr. Campbell

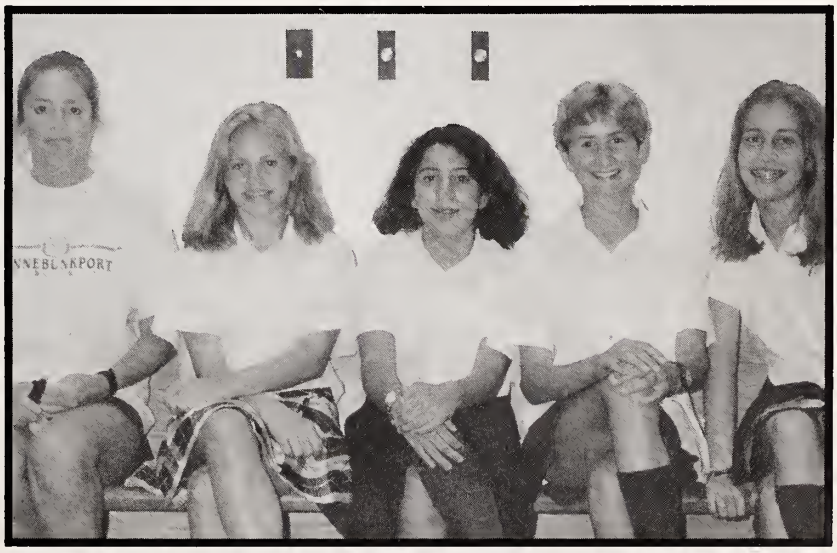
Grouped from Left: Jenny Haughton, Nancy Schryburt, Himali Katugaha, Michelle Johnson, Juliette Gundy, Julie Glazier, Amy Throop, Sally Crate, Kim Schryburt, Sarah Zollinger, Caroline Richards, Erica Morris, Natasha Kyle, Mr. R. Campbell (taking picture is Mrs. McCabe)

BADMINTON

Badminton, as a number of other events, was a first for Elmwood this year, outside our own tournaments. A one-day event at St. Peter School was a learning experience for all the girls. They all achieved a degree of success and Becce Merkley and Hannah Roessler came third in doubles.

Congratulations!

Mrs. O'Brien



From Left: Mrs. O'Brien, Becce Merkley, Nicola Krishna, Adrienne Horton, Hanna Roessler

Track and Field

The Track and Field Meet took place at the Terry Fox Facilities at Mooney's Bay. Out of ten schools, Elmwood's Bantam Girls came fourth overall with six placings in the top three places. Super! Congratulations: everyone finished, a great accomplishment! Thanks to Mrs. Huggins for all her help, her organizational skills and encouragement, and to Natalie Chu for recording the statistics and cheering us on.

Back Row, Left to Right: Mrs. O'Brien, Stephanie Appotive, Emily Sheehan, Becce Merkley, Anjana Malik, Michelle Taggart, Alexandra Eden-Walker, Vivianne Garneau. Middle Row, Left to Right: Natalie Chu, Adrienne Horton, Alison Booth, Natalie Piazza, Celeste Lang. Front Row, Left to Right: Jennifer Normand, Danielle Vincent, Saori Matsuoka, Jessica Barnes.

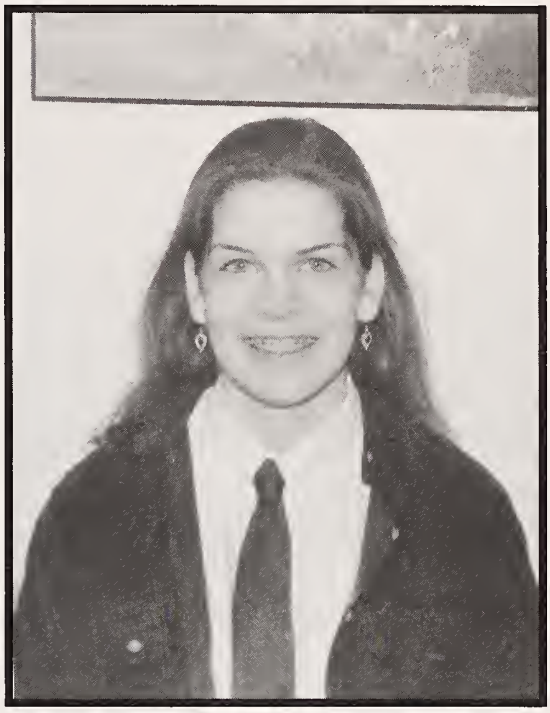
Virginia Murray: Breakthrough Award

It is with our greatest pleasure that we announce Virginia Murray as the winner of the 1993-94 Breakthrough Award in the Youth Category. Virginia, who graduated from Elmwood in 1992, and is presently at St. Lawrence College in New York State, is an outstanding athlete with many accomplishments that definitely extend traditionally-held limits of women's sports participation.

Virginia's athletic excellence is evident in a number of sports. In high school, she was the Ottawa Board discus champion for four years, and in 1989 she placed fourth at OFSAA, the Ontario high school championships. In 1990, Virginia was a member of the provincial field hockey team. She also played volleyball and soccer throughout high school, and in 1991 was a member of the winning OBE tier 2 team. She has been extremely active in sports for most of her life and continues to be highly involved in numerous sports. She is an excellent role model for her peers and for women, as she is one who has truly "broken through" the barriers of male-female competition.

From Left: Mrs. Gundy, Virginia Murray, Mrs. Neale.

Sports Captain



AN ODE TO THE COACHES

Authors of our talents, you coaches we praise,
To you today shall our hands be raised.
For when we are burdened with the weight of our team,
To our rescue you come, it always will seem.
However outstanding the play is that day,
When a coach intervenes they help lead the way.
Grateful to them we'll always be,
For exploiting our talents, for the world to see.

For out there in the light, before hundreds of fans,
We players perform as best as we can.
Perform we must both day and night,
Striving for victory with all our might.
With Yates and Neale, O'Brien, McCabe,
Elmwood Eagles soar like a flying brigade.
For deep is the yearning for a place at the top,
And with coaches like you we just couldn't stop.

On behalf of all the athletes in the school, I would like to extend my appreciation and gratitude to all the Elmwood coaches. You have planted in us self-confidence and strength, as well as the motivation and energy to play a sport and play it well. You have taught us the true essence of sportsmanship which is to play fair, to have fun, and to work together as a team.

'Good sportsmanship as hail, we sing,
It's always pleasant when you spot it.
There's only one unhappy thing,
You have to lose to prove you've got it!'

Whatever the outcome of our teams, you coaches have always made us feel like winners. Thank you very much for your support and your time. This dedication is the backbone of our sports teams. You have had an exceptional influence on us. Thank you.
Alexandra Woloschuk
P.S. KELLER KICKS!!!

Sports Assembly

The Seventh Annual Sports Dinner/Assembly was a great success as all the athletes from Grade 7 to the OAC class were honoured along with their coaches. This year the schedule was a little different as the Sports Banquet took place the Friday morning just before Sports Afternoon. We did not have a guest speaker this year but instead we watched the Mark Tewksbury motivational film, *One Minute To Gold.* There were also exceptional demonstrations of TaeKwon Do by Tara Chauhan as well as a Judo exercise by Andrea Mendell. Following the Graduating Players Awards there was a gymnastic display by Sarah Sloan and Liette Berube. The morning was a very enjoyable one in which the entire school participated and our thanks go out to Mrs. Neale and Mrs. O'Brien for putting together such an enjoyable morning.

MVP	*TEAM*	*MSP*
Adrienne Horton	JR Soccer	Erica Blesa
Bridget Adrian	JR Volleyball	Adrienne Horton
Amanda Veillette	JR Handball	Elizabeth Clarke
Stephanie Hanna	JR Football	Stephanie Appotive
Emily Sheehan	JR Track & Field	Natalie Piazza
	JR Badminton	Alice Johnston
Becce Merkley	JR Basketball	Emily Sheehan
Juliette Gundy	JR/SR Basketball	Litharitza Vakopoulos
Natasha Kyle	SR Basketball	Dawn Tyler
Tara Chauhan	TaeKwon Do	Julie Hakim
Cameron Blott	Tennis	Tanya Magnus
Cameron Blott	Golf	Alison Meloche
Cameron Blott	Downhill Skiing	Sarah Glinski
Erin McCloskey	Swim Team	Bianca Rousseau
Alice Johnston	Cross-Country	Emma Whitehead & Paula Romkey
Natasha Kyle	JR/SR Volleyball	Katie Lazaro
Alison Meloche	SR Volleyball	Monica Agarwal
Kim Schryburt	Softball	
Jehanne Jooste	SR Soccer	Caroline Richards

HOUSES

FRY

FRIENDSHIP FOR ALL

FRY HOUSE by Grades . . . Grade One: Robert Cushing, Laura Mason, David Nestor, A.J. Pandher *Grade Two:* Matthew Bowman, Barrett Karam, Peter Leimbigler, Neil Mason, Hamish McKillop, Kathleen Worobeck *Grade Three:* James Hall, Timothy Herauf, Kate McCleary, Catherine Oswald, Rajan Pandher, Jessica Wilson *Grade Four:* Caroline Andison, Christine MacPhee, Graham Page *Grade Five:* Michelle Bissada, Robin Harnden, Jennifer Hulsemann, Alice McCleary, Darcie Wilson *Grade Six:* Emily Foreman, Julia Galwin, Natalie Goldenberg-Fife, Jennifer Grimsey, Isbel James, Julie Lafleche, Krystina Mierins, Paula Romkey, Mary Shearman, Miwa Suda, Jennifer Wheeler, Emma Whitehead *Grade Seven:* Kimberley Baldwin, Stephanie Chin, Natalie Choo, Colleen Cimone, Catherine Friis, Vivianne Garneau, Adrienne Horton, Elizabeth Mainwaring, Jennifer Normand, Emma Peacocke, Ella Rickit, Amanda Veillette, Wilhelmina Verdegaal *Grade Eight:* Nicola Adams, Bridget Adrian, Anne-Marie Bissada, Allison Grimsey, Stephanie Hanna, Judy Lazier, Katherine Lewis, Anjana Malik, Becce Merkley, Sarah Sloan, Marsha Taichman *Grade Nine:* Amira Bada'an, Jessica Bayne, Ardyth Correia, Catriona James, Whitney Jones, Sharon Lazier, Meredith Meloche, Carrie Miller, Vanessa Quiney, Dawn Tyler, Litharitza Vakopoulos *Grade Ten:* Sally Crate, Shannon Hancock, Tara Huckvale, Diana McBurney, Amy Marett, Anne Meredith, Rana Mokhtar *Grade Eleven:* Caroline Dawes, Jennifer Fannin, Hanna Ikeda, Kathleen Lau, Sandra Quiros Navas *Grade Twelve:* Caroline Ashekian, Amanda Sumner *OAC:* Trudy Davies, Christina Gandilo, Alison Meloche, Rima Mokhtar, Agnes Wong *HEAD OF HOUSE:* Jocelynne St. Jacques

Congratulations Fry for two wonderful years. You were more spirited than ever before, especially when cookies and dinosaurs were involved. As a House, we accomplished a lot this year. We won Sports Day last year for the first time in at least six years. This year we made dozens of airplanes, we placed third at Sports Day. Our popsicle sales went very well and the money raised will go towards helping the SPCA in many different ways. Finally, Fry has found a loud, exciting cheer.

Have fun next year with your new House Head, Caroline. I wish you the best of luck. Fry, never forget, we rule and are the number one House!

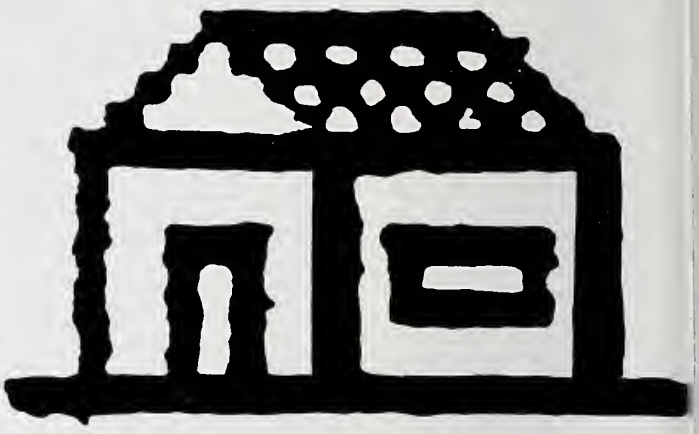
One we are the Best!

Two we can't be beaten! . . .

Jocelynne St. Jacques
Head of Fry

KELLER

FAIR PLAY



KELLER HOUSE by Grades . . . Grade One: Ralph Caprio, Renée Farrell, Lucas Huang, Lovisa Malmqvist, Erin Taylor, Jonathan Wang, Joanna Weijer *Grade Two:* Elizabeth Bragg, Sheila Egan, Kate MacGillivray, Rodrigo Roman-Valdes, Benjamin Sherman *Grade Three:* Shayli Hill, Harriet Lerwill, Sarah Russell, Jaap Verdegaal, Neil Weijer *Grade Four:* Siddarth Gojer, Andrew Huang, Sarah Langford, Sarah Leibel, Katherine Wright, Douglas Young *Grade Five:* Sarah Bragg, Celine Chebil, Alexandra McCoomb, Jessica Walker *Grade Six:* Meghan Cheung, Kalessy Lasserre, Lauren MacLeod, Allison Near, Natalie Pilon, Karin Plyler, Joy Rank, Alexa Young *Grade Seven:* Jessica Barnes, Amanda Bon, Bettina Callary, Marjorie Cole, Deirdre Keary-Taylor, Kate Lunau, Sophie Olberg, Joya Raha, Elizabeth Wright, Jessica Young *Grade Eight:* Teki Akuetteh, Alison Booth, Anna Bretzlaff, Katherine Langford, Katie Mills, Jennie Perrin, Hannah Roessler, Erin Walker *Grade Nine:* Sonya Arora, Liette Berube, Isabelle French, Tanya Magnus, Jodi Roche, Olivia Waters *Grade Ten:* Julie Glazier, Erica Morris, Helen O'Leary, Caroline Richards, Meera Ruparelia *Grade Eleven:* Johanna Bon, Véronique French, Maryam Kavehrad, Stephanie Russell, Gertrude Wong *Grade Twelve:* Robin Booth, Vanessa Brandt-Rousseau, Sarah Glinski, Susie Herbert, Vicky Kellett, Susan Kes, Dena Roberts *OAC:* Nicole Kilian, Keri McBurney, Alexandra Woloshchuk *HEAD OF HOUSE:* Allison Russell

Dear Kellerians of 1994,

Here's to you! Here's to us! Here's to Keller! We started something new this year in House meetings - the Keller Wave - and we rode it all year long. We started on Sports Day Afternoon in September, by coming in NUMBER ONE, and we ended with winning the Sports Day Cup in May. In between we had house games. OK, so people in Keller own running shoes . . . we may have been low on numbers, but we were always high on SPIRIT. S P I R I T . . . Keller Kicks . . . rocking the foundations of the school with our cheer . . . losing our voices. We won the ski bunny race in March making it a Keller tradition.

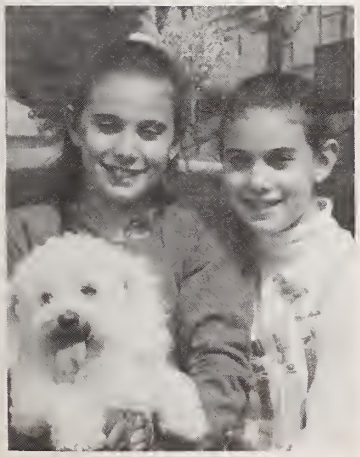
Food and Keller go well together (hint to next year's head) . . . give you guys food and you'll do anything!

Dog Day Afternoon was great, raising enough money so that we can sponsor a dog for the Guide Dogs for the Blind. Thanks to all of you who showed up for house meetings and house games, and an even bigger thanks to everyone who helped out at tuck-shop and Dog Day. Good Luck to next year's House Head, Vanessa, you have an awesome house to back you up.

Here's to the incredible past year and the incredible year to come! . . . And remember K-E-L-L-E-R, number one is who we are!

Best of luck for an awesome future,
Love,
Allison

Allison Russell
Head of Keller



NIGHTINGALE

NOT FOR OURSELVES ALONE

NIGHTINGALE HOUSE by Grades . . . Grade One: Carolynn Bartlett, Laura Berger, Jacqueline Hugo, Sebastien Krell, Michael Wallack *Grade Two:* Alexander Laborie, Nazir Savji, Zenah Surani *Grade Three:* Sam Hickman, Nicholas Krell, Paul McGuire, Marie-Joelle Muns, Andrew Northern, Jacob Shabinsky *Grade Four:* Julia Murray, Tyler Perley-Robertson, Ameer Razavi, Raheem Savji, Catherine Vincent, Tyler Wilgress *Grade Five:* Vanessa Arnold, Rachel Buxton, Emily Jamieson, Jennifer Kresse, Mariko Matsui, Jade Puddington, Sarah Valiant, Brinkley Zagerman *Grade Six:* Karen Chan, Julia Hermon, Mythri Kappagantula, Emily McQuillan, Katie Mitchell, Alexandra Murray, Jessica Perley-Robertson, Janel Yu *Grade Seven:* Avneet Basi, Alexandra Eden-Walker, Alice Johnston, Saori Matsuoka, Natalie Piazza, Rebecca Skrzypczak, Michelle Taggart, Danielle Vincent, Kirsten Weld *Grade Eight:* Jyoti Aggarwal, Erica Blesa, Meredith Gillespie, Sharon Nimrod, Nagin Razavi, Karen Selody, Emily Sheehan *Grade Nine:* April De Vries, Mieko Matsui, Elizabeth O'Neill, Feranza Qadri, Amy Throop, Hiroko Yoda *Grade Ten:* Nina Aggarwal, Genevieve Barbeau, Andrea Gilpin, Himali Katugaha, Erin McCloskey, Kate McCloskey, Andrea Mendell, Carleen Nimrod, Andrea Taggart *Grade Eleven:* Monica Agarwal, Juliette Gundy, Katherine Taylor *Grade Twelve:* Natalie Gandilo, Sarah Mayes *OAC:* Catherine Chow, Swathi Kappagantula *HEAD OF HOUSE:* Cameron Blott

Well Nightingale, I can not believe that another year has passed and it's time for me to leave Elmwood. I'm very proud of all of you: the spirit was high, we came up with some awesome new cheers! Also we came 2nd on Sports Day, despite the fact that we had the fewest people. Also we had an Easter egg sale and the proceeds went to help the sick kids at CHEO (A BIG thanks to Sarah Mayes for selling the last of the eggs!)

I'd like to thank my vice heads: Swathi and Catherine, and my deputies: Sarah and Natalie for all their help this year. Also good luck to Natalie, next year's head . . . This is an experience you will never forget.

To everyone else in the house, thanks for making this year a lot of fun for me. You're a great bunch of people and I wish you the best of luck in the future! Remember to keep up the spirit!!

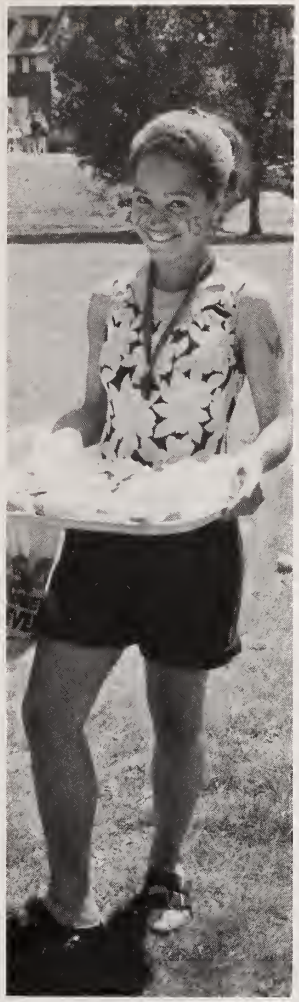
Love
Cameron

Cameron Blott
Head of Nightingale

WILSON

TO GIVE OF OURSELVES
AND NEVER COUNT THE COST
FOR OTHERS GREATER NEED

WILSON HOUSE by Grades . . . Grade One: Marisa Heymans, Rebeka Lauks, Sarah Leenen, John McNulty *Grade Two:* Catriona Benzie, Rony Eyamie, Sasha Lauks, Matthew McEnery, Antonio Silva Marques, Julie Trudel, Fleur M.L. Veldehuyzen Van Zanten *Grade Three:* Marcela Lazaro, Alexander Mimeault, Gordie Tam *Grade Four:* Kate Edelson, Charley Lazaro, Jessamy Tedlie-Stursberg, Rebecca Willems, Alexandra Zarama *Grade Five:* Lindsay Appotive, Sarah Burns, Nicole Choo, Amber Dillon, Lacy Lauks, Kelly MacLaren, Kathy McNulty *Grade Six:* Elise Chehowski, Laura Francis, Angela Lang, Teljya Oka-Pregel, Martine Paget, Alexandra Ramsden, Courtney Rank, Amanda Tung, Rosie Zollinger *Grade Seven:* Kyla Armstrong-Miller, Pam Chuchinnawat, Jessica Denion, Stephanie Dostaler, Veronica Feigel, Cait Koss, Yvonne Kresse, Nicola Krishna, Celeste Lang, Alison Van Koughnett *Grade Eight:* Stephanie Appotive, Elizabeth Clarke, Julie Hakim, Monika Merchea, Farah Petit, Jessica Romkey, Julia Schumacher, Rebecca Walsh, Sarah Wilson, Ariane Zalatan *Grade Nine:* Samantha Barrett, Lauren Ehrenworth, Nana Karina Kwofie, Katie Lazaro, Colleen McManus, Christina Quiney, Akiko Suda, Elly Tam, Julie Young, Miranda Young *Grade Ten:* Bianca Brandt-Rousseau, Adele Dupont, Megan Dykeman, Jennifer Haughton, Natasha Kyle, Alicia Robinson, Alexandra Young *Grade Eleven:* Jacynthe Barbeau, Jehanne Jooste, Laura McCormack, Nancy Schryburt, Jenny Tam, Polly Tam, Sarah Zollinger *Grade Twelve:* Polly Chu, Merry Gani, Renée London *OAC:* Tara Chauhan, Michelle Johnson, Kim Schryburt, Kathleen Terroux *HEAD OF HOUSE:* Monica Singhal



Dear Wilson,

This has been the most incredible year in Wilson's history! We have participated in so many different events and raised a lot of money for Interval House. We can't forget the thousands of candy canes to tag, running the tuck-shop and civvies days. Though we may not have won all the Sports Days, we definitely ruled in spirit. Every person in Wilson contributed something special. You helped out at all the activities, and volunteered so many times. Attendance at House games was amazing!

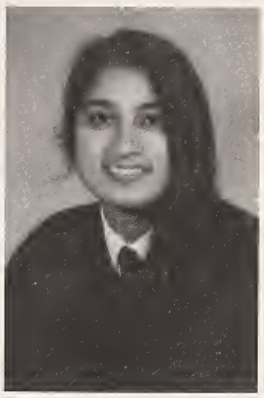
The best part of being in Wilson House this year was taking part in the great change of our House colour - yellow to purple! The spirit shone through your purple shirts at spring Sports Day. I was so proud!

I would like to thank our fabulous vice-head, Renee, for all her hard work and enthusiasm. We made a great team. Thanks to Alex for all her great Sports Day activities and the P.H.E. staff for all their work.

I hope you will enjoy being a part of Wilson for the years to come! I have certainly loved being the House Head. Keep up the spirit! Remember - Purple and Wilson go hand-in-hand from now on!

Good luck in the future and have FUN!

Love Always,
Monica



Monica Singhal
Head of Wilson

DOG DAY AFTERNOON

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On Saturday, May 28, almost forty pooches, hounds, and just plain dogs congregated at Elmwood to take part in the seventh annual Dog Day Afternoon, yet again blessed by good weather. This fund raising event for Canadian Guide Dogs for the Blind was ably organized by Allison Russell, Head of Keller House. She in turn was aided by Stephanie Russell, Sarah Russell, Mrs. Russell, Jocelynne St. Jacques and Nicole Kilian.

Ms. McKenzie Lawrence, Mrs. Knowlton, and Mrs. Faguy had the impossible task of judging the various competitions. The Best Dressed Dog event was quickly moved to first category as it became quite evident that the contestants would not be able to maintain their decorum for very long. Even though Sam H. had difficulty in keeping his friend EARL in the ring, true to his name, Earl was magnificent in ruffles, a sash and cape. He tied for first place with Zak, elegantly attired in his Elmwood uniform. Elise Chehowski's LUPA won first prize for Best Trick while the Glazier sisters' CLEO won for the Most Obedient Dog. Seventeen dogs entered the Most Appropriate Name event which was won by Emma Whitehead's PENDLE. Other winners were Tom Ryan's DERBY (largest dog), Marjorie Cole's FERGIE (smallest dog), EARL and LUPA (best bark), and Pauline and Hamish's GEORDIE (for a three-way Owner Look Alike Award).

Needless to say, most dogs entered the Best Looks and Friendliest Dog categories and these events really taxed the abilities of the judges. However, Akiko Suda's MOGU was declared winner of the former, while RALPH McCabe's frantically wagging stubby tail was too much to ignore, and so he won the latter. Ralph also won a Special Award for having come to every Dog Day Afternoon since its inception and for quietly accepting that he had never won an award until this year.

Throughout the afternoon, blindfolded humans could walk with a trained guide dog around the tennis courts. Mrs. Outerbridge, Mme. Séguin and Mrs. Russell organized the bake sale table and dispensed goodies and drinks to famished and parched owners. Dog Day Afternoon 1994 was a great success!

Gold Award
is presented to
Alison Hetche
Elmwood
Hariko Matsue

FINALE

VALEDICTORY

Mrs. Nelson, Members of the Board of Governors, Staff, Students, Parents and Friends:

This past school year has been filled with memories for each Elmwood student; however, this year has been special for the Class that sits before you. Since tonight is the last time that Elmwood's Class of '94 will be with the School, it seems fitting to recall the happenings of the year.

The first challenge of our Class, and for our Sports Captain, Alex, was Sports Afternoon. This was our first opportunity to meet all the new girls and boys, and to attempt to explain what, or more appropriately who Fry, Keller, Nightingale and Wilson are. With one successful Sports Day under our belts, we moved on to the Hallowe'en Party, led by our Junior Liasons, Christina and Kathleen. The planning and care that was put into this party was outstanding, and could be seen throughout the afternoon. The Haunted House was very successful, the pinatas were painstakingly made, and every little goblin left filled with sugar and contentment.

Second Term brought the February Blahs which were counteracted by Spirit Week. The Auction Committee-inspired Clown Day was a riot with the results displayed around the School in order to create the appropriate atmosphere for the Auction. It was interesting to note that the bribe of food encouraged almost every student to dress up for Clown Day. From the Tug-of-War with the Teachers, to Pie-the-Prefect and the inevitable Air Bands the week was interesting from every perspective.

Third Term brought us Sports Day and another opportunity to interact with the entire School. A Candy Floss machine was the hit of the Day if we judge by the line-ups. Fry and Keller hosted Dog Day Afternoon to the delight of thousands. Why a dog would want to look like its owner is beyond me, but this activity is the most popular by far.

A summary of the year would not be complete without mention of our Sports teams . . . the Junior/Senior Basketball team had an excellent season thanks to the tall people in the School; both the Senior Volleyball teams reached the City Finals; the Rowing Crew made a comeback this year; the Softball team ventured to the Raggedy Anne Tournament with a Tennis contingent for support; European Handball was introduced; the Touch Football team played really well; the Soccer teams enjoyed success; the Ski team schussed the slopes; the Golf team sank their putts; the terrific Tennis team ran the courts well and the Swim Teams carved many victories in the pool.

In between the landmark events that highlight the year are the little things that make Elmwood life special. The Spirit signs that were posted around the School caused discussion and reminded each of us that a sense of humour is necessary when the going gets tough. The singing abilities of the Graduating Class were exploited every Wednesday in order to encourage everyone to come to House Games. Every morning in Assembly I could count on someone in Grade One to make a funny face at me and I always marvelled at how the Grade Twos showed their impatience while waiting to be dismissed. These things are unique to Elmwood but we too often take them for granted. It is only when the reality of leaving sets in that you realize how special this School really is.

For Women's Day I was asked to express the outlook of a 19 year old female as she looks to the future. Amongst the constant threat of Recession, high unemployment and increasing university tuition fees I maintain a positive view of the future for my classmates and myself. People expect the young to be full of hopelessness and despair but I find this to be impossible. How can we, young women with bright futures, not be optimistic? The skills that my classmates and I have learned will help us to survive in the Real World. We have bright futures with endless opportunities lying ahead of us. The first chapter in our lives is complete; we start the second tonight!

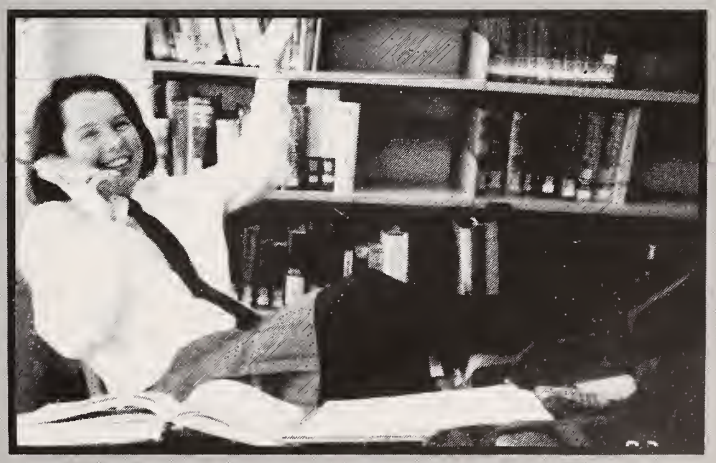
The final year of High School is a difficult one, as students balance their responsibilities. Our teachers are always eager to help without demanding much in return. For the last minute help, or the shoulder to cry on, we thank you now. On behalf of the Class of '94 I would like to present Mrs. Gundy with a cheque for $600, the result of much creative fundraising.

To the Class of '95 and to Sarah Mayes, their Head Girl, this advice: you are not all going to get along all the time and you will not always agree with some of the things said but this is your last year together, remember the good times and learn from the not so good.

To Nancy and Brent: thanks for keeping me calm and rational throughout the year, I could not have made it without you.

Finally, to my parents: I was a frightened twelve year old when I first arrived at Elmwood and look at where I am today. I think I turned out all right after all!

Thank you, God Bless and Good Night,
Kim Schryburt.



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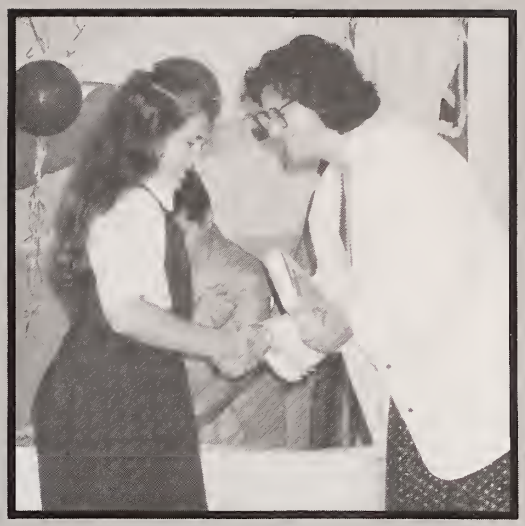

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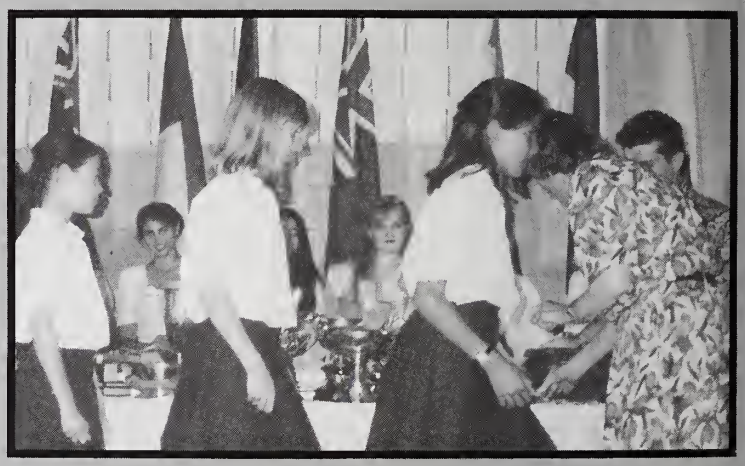


SAMARA SURVEY . . .

FAVOURITE ACTOR
1. Ethan Hawke
2. Macaulay Caulkins
3. Robin Williams
4. Jack Nicholson

FAVOURITE T.V. SHOW
1. 90210
2. Seinfeld
3. Fresh Prince
4. Power Rangers

FAVOURITE BOOK
1. The Chamber
2. The Accident
3. Green Eggs & Ham
4. The Stinky Cheese Man (Junior Library)

FAVOURITE ACTRESS
1. Jodie Foster
2. Julia Roberts
3. Emma Thompson
4. Marisa Tomei

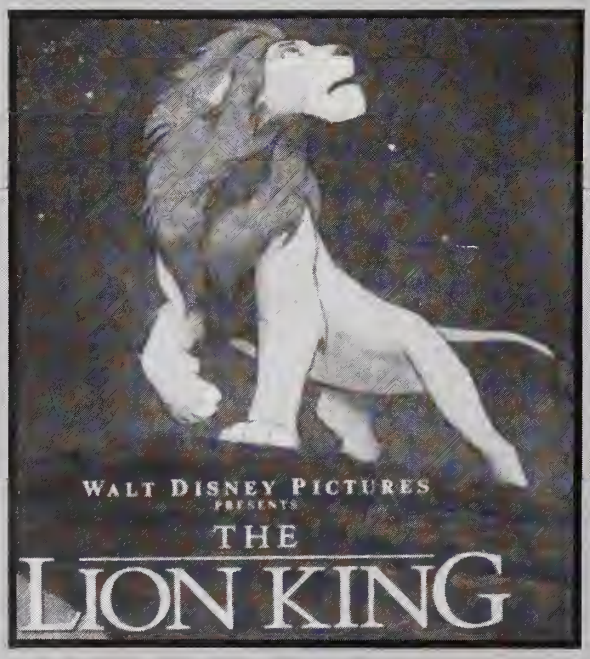
FAVOURITE GROUP
1. Aerosmith
2. U2
3. Sharon, Lois & Bram
4. Blind Melon

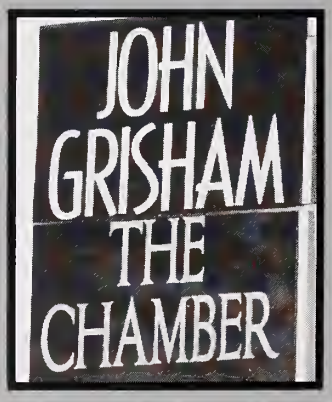
FAVOURITE SONG
1. Amazing
2. Hero
3. I'd Do Anything
4. I Love You (Barney)

FAVOURITE MOVIE
1. Jurassic Park
2. Ms. Doubtfire
3. The Lion King
4. The Client

FAVOURITE MAGAZINE
1. Seventeen
2. Elle
3. Mad
4. Chickadee

MESSAGE TO RICHARD ROBINSON
1. 64% - hate the kilt
2. 26% - can live with it
3. 10% - love it
4. 0% - have no comment





FAVOURITE CLUB
1. Choir
2. Drama
3. Clay
4. SAMARA

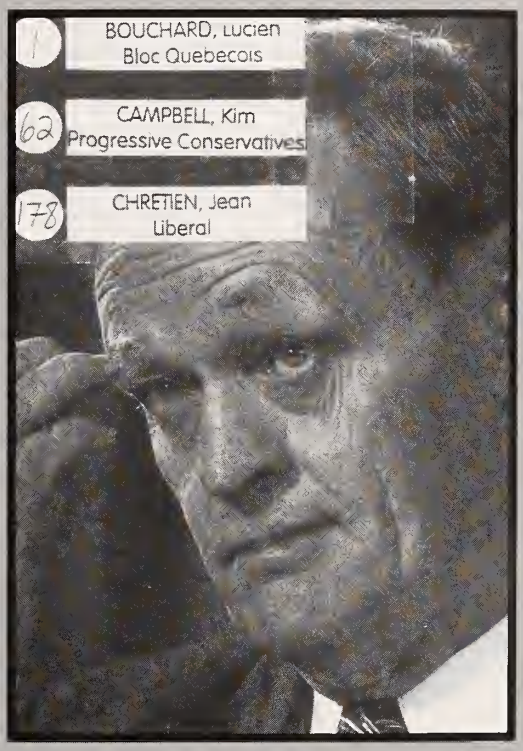
FAVOURITE SPORT
1. Volleyball
2. Basketball
3. Soccer
4. Softball

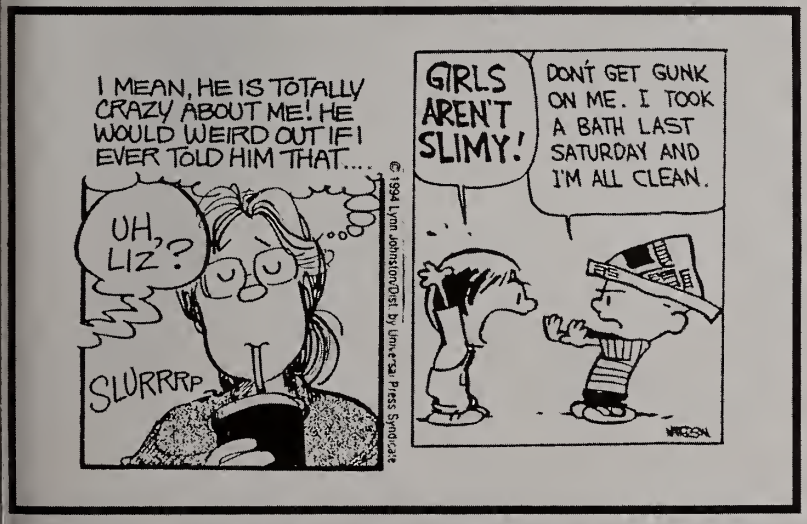
FAVOURITE FUNNIES
1. Calvin & Hobbes
2. The Far Side
3. Peanuts
4. For Better Or Worse

THE ELECTION
In our School simulated election the Liberals won by a landslide. A distant second were the PCs. The #1 choice for PM was Jean Chretien followed by Jean Charest . . . Mrs. Faguy beat out Kim Campbell in a run-off for third!

THE REFERENDUM
Most student think about the possibility of the break-up of Canada as a far-fetched idea and only hope that it will not come about.

NEWSWATCH
Over 90% of the School reads the newspaper with the 3 most read sections being: Entertainment, the Comics and the Front Page. Over 70% of the School watches the T.V. News about twice a week. 90% are interested in World Issues, to some degree, worrying that their future is being put into question by the poor choices of the 'older' generation!





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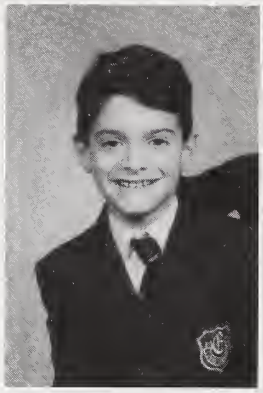

Top Row, Left to Right: Siddarth Gojer, Andrew Huang, Charley Lazaro, Graham Page, Tyler Perley-Robertson Bottom Row, Left to Right: Ameer Razavi, Raheem Savji, Tyler Wilgress, Douglas Young

DON'T FORGET TO VISIT!!!

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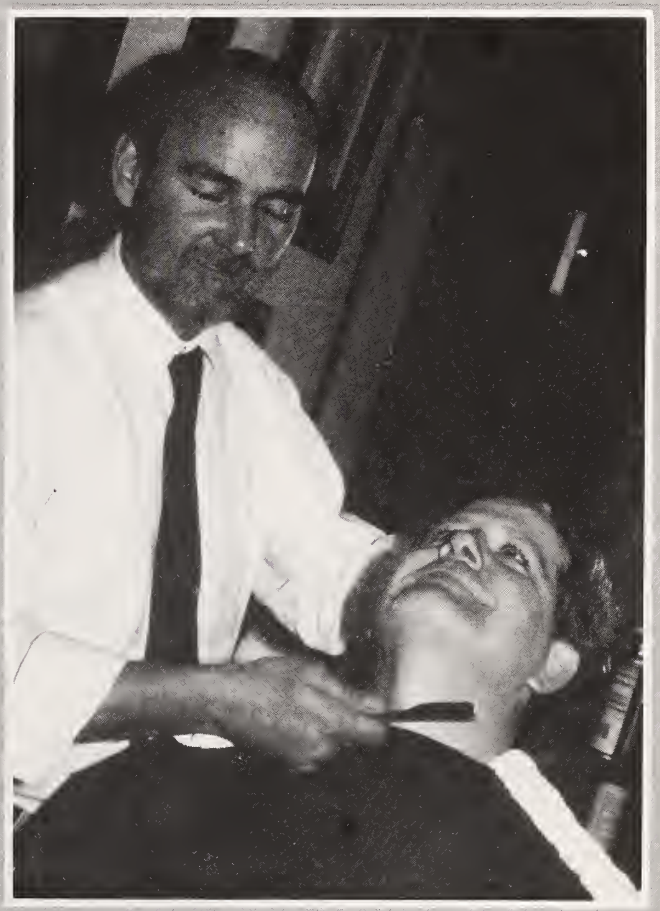

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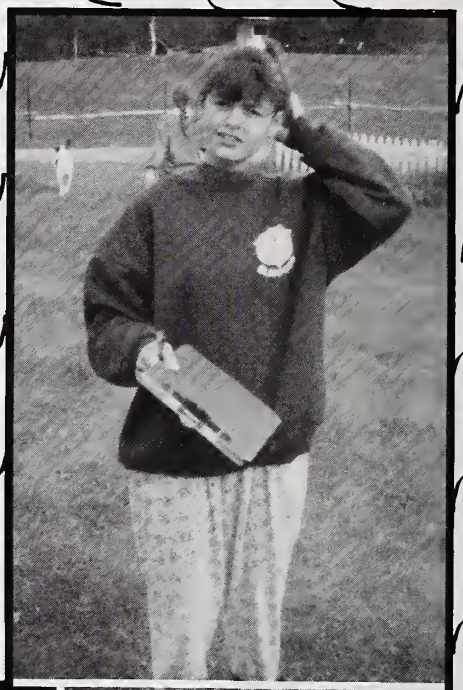
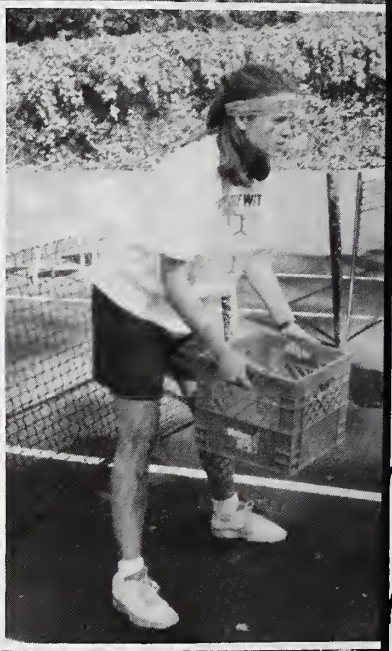
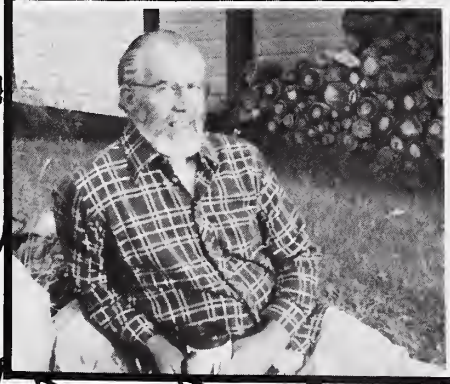
AUTUMN

SEPTEMBER
7 New Students Tea
15-18 Trip to Stratford
24 Sports Afternoon
30 Meet the Teacher Night
OCTOBER
6-8 Trip to Calabogie
11 Thanksgiving Weekend
21 Parent-Teacher Interviews
29 Hallowe'en Party

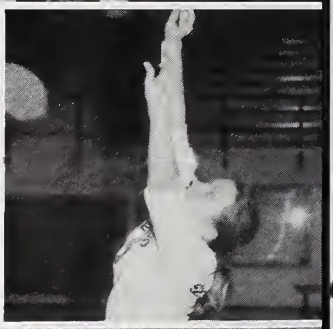






WINTER

NOVEMBER
18 International Night
DECEMBER
3 Advent Service
JANUARY
30-2 Trip to St. Donat
FEBRUARY
10 Father-Daughter Banquet
11 Ski Day



SPRING

MARCH
9 Roman Banquet
10 Last Day of Term II
28 Term III Begins

APRIL
1-4 Easter Weekend - School Closed
7 Evening of One Act Plays
22 Auction
23-25 Choir Trip
28 Junior Entertainment

SUMMER

MAY
13-15 Classics Conference
15-18 Quebec City Trip
20 Sports Day
23 Victoria Day Weekend
28 Dog Day
JUNE
16 Primary-Junior Closing
17 Intermediate-Senior Closing
18 Graduation Formal

PRIZE GIVING 1994

Proficiency Standing: 80% and Over, Up to and Including Grade 10

Grade 5 - Vanessa Arnold, Michelle Bissada, Sarah Bragg, Sarah Burns, Rachel Buxton, Nicole Choo, Robin Harnden, Lacy Lauks, Alice McCleary, Jade Puddington, Sarah Valiant, Darcie Wilson

Grade 6 - Karen Chan, Laura Francis, Julia Galwin, Natalie Goldenberg-Fife, Isbel James, Mythri Kappagantula, Julie Lafleche, Kalessy Lasserre, Lauren MacLeod, Krystina Mierins, Alexandra Murray, Teljya Oka-Pregel, Karin Plyler, Courtney Rank, Paula Romkey, Mary Shearman, Amanda Tung, Alexa Young, Janel Yu

Grade 7 - Avneet Basi, Amanda Bon, Bettina Callary, Stephanie Chin, Natalie Choo, Veronica Feigel, Alice Johnston, Deirdre Keary-Taylor, Nicola Krishna, Celeste Lang, Kate Lunau, Cait Koss, Saori Matsuoka, Emma Peacocke, Joya Raha, Ella Rickit, Rebecca Skrzypczak, Wilhelmina Verdegaal, Danielle Vincent, Kirsten Weld, Elizabeth Wright, Jessica Young

Grade 8 - Nicola Adams, Jyoti Aggarwal, Anne-Marie Bissada, Erica Blesa, Meredith Gillespie, Allison Grimsey, Julie Hakim, Judy Lazier, Katherine Lewis, Anjana Malik, Monika Merchea, Becce Merkley, Jennie Perrin, Nagin Razavi, Hannah Roessler, Jessica Romkey, Karen Selody, Emily Sheehan, Sarah Sloan, Erin Walker, Rebecca Walsh, Sarah Wilson, Janice Yu, Ariane Zalatan

Grade 9 - Sonya Arora, Lauren Ehrenworth, Isabelle French, Catriona James, Katie Lazaro, Sharon Lazier, Tanya Magnus, Mieko Matsui, Elizabeth O'Neill, Christina Quiney, Vanessa Quiney, Elly Tam, Litharitza Vakopoulos, Olivia Waters, Hiroko Yoda, Julie Young, Miranda Young

Grade 10 - Nina Aggarwal, Diana McBurney, Erin McCloskey, Kate McCloskey, Amy Marett, Andrea Mendell, Rana Mokhtar, Erica Morris, Carleen Nimrod, Caroline Richards, Alicia Robinson, Meera Ruparelia, Alexandra Young

Proficiency Standing: 75% and Over, Up to and Including OAC

Grade 11 - Monica Agarwal, Johanna Bon, Caroline Dawes, Jennifer Fannin, Véronique French, Juliette Gundy, Hanna Ikeda, Jehanne Jooste, Maryam Kavehrad, Laura McCormack, Sandra Quiros Navas, Stephanie Russell, Nancy Schryburt, Gertrude Wong, Sarah Zollinger

Grade 12 - Caroline Ashekian, Vanessa Brandt-Rousseau, Natalie Gandilo, Sarah Glinski, Vicky Kellett, Renée London, Sarah Mayes, Dena Roberts, Amanda Sumner

OAC - Cameron Blott, Tara Chauhan, Trudy Davies, Christina Gandilo, Swathi Kappagantula, Nicole Kilian, Allison Russell, Kim Schryburt, Monica Singhal, Jocelynne St. Jacques, Kathleen Terroux, Alexandra Woloschuk, Agnes Wong

House Point Awards: House points are given for academic performance, athletic participation, membership in clubs and helpful and cooperative behaviour. In order to receive a House Letter a total of 150 points must be accumulated. A Silver "E" is awarded for 300 points, and a Golden "E" for 500 points. This year the following students are being honoured:

Silver "E" - Kirsten Weld, Amanda Bon, Jyoti Aggarwal, Emily Sheehan, Nicola Adams, Becce Merkley, Hannah Roessler

Golden "E" - Jennifer Fannin, Natalie Gandilo, Sarah Glinski, Sarah Mayes, Michelle Johnson, Alison Meloche, Allison Russell, Monica Singhal, Kathleen Terroux

Special Mention - Tara Chauhan, Christina Gandilo, Kim Schryburt (for accumulating in excess of 250 points above the requirement for their Golden "E" in their OAC year)

Scholarships:

Grade 5 - Catherine Vincent
Grade 7 - Alexandra Murray and Karin Plyler
Grade 9 - Julie Lazier and Karen Selody
Grade 11 - Nina Agarwal, Diana McBurney and Alicia Robinson
Grade 12 - Caroline Dawes and Gertrude Wong

Junior School 5-6

English 5 and 6 -	Krystina Mierins
Creative Writing 5 and 6 -	Isbel James
Creativity 5 and 6 -	Julia Hermon
French 5 and 6 -	Lauren MacLeod
Maths 5 and 6 -	Karin Plyler
Computer Studies 5 and 6 -	Karin Plyler
Science 5 and 6 -	Mythri Kappagantula
Social Science 5 and 6 -	Darcie Wilson
Science Sociales 5 and 6 -	Julie Lafleche
Art 5 and 6 -	Karen Chan

Special Mention for Outstanding Academic Achievement in Science Sociales, Science, French and Mathematics - Janel Yu

Schultz Prize for Effort -	Courtney Rank and Joy Rank
Graham Form Trophy -	Grade 5 as a group

Junior School 7-8

English	Meredith Gillespie
Choir	Amanda Bon
Creativity	Emma Peacocke
Art	Judith Lazier
Drama	Stephanie Hanna
Maths	Nicola Adams
MacDonald Cup for Mathematics (Effort and Progress)	Allison Grimsey
Computer Studies	Kate Lunau
Social Sciences	Anjana Malik

Histoire	Nagin Razavi
French	Julie Hakim

Special Mention for Outstanding Academic Achievement in Science, Social Sciences and Mathematics, the Latin Prize and the *Nancy Chance Prize for English* - Karen Selody

Laidler Cup -	Karen Selody
Southam Cup -	Stephanie Hanna

Sports Prizes:

Fauquier Junior Cup for Sportsmanship -	Becce Merkley and Hannah Roessler
Crowdy-Weir Bantam Sports Cup -	Bridget Adrian
Dunlop Intermediate Sports Cup -	Natasha Kyle
Wilson Senior Sports Cup -	Cameron Blott
Physical Education Gold Medal -	Jehanne Jooste
Maynard Sportsmanship Cup -	Vanessa Brandt-Rousseau
Inter-House Sports Day Cup -	Keller
First House Cup -	Keller

Intermediate School 9-10

Mathematics Prize -	Hiroko Yoda
Art Prize -	Hiroko Yoda
German Prize -	Catriona James
Geography Prize -	Isabelle French
History Prize -	Alicia Robinson
Music Prize -	Erin Walker
Latin Prize -	Meera Ruparelia
Keyboarding Prize -	Jyoti Aggarwal
Grace E. Knowlton Prize for Progress in Math -	Elly Tam

Special Mention for Outstanding Academic Achievement in French, History, Mathematics, Science, Law, German *and* the Rothwell Prize for English - Nina Aggarwal

Senior School 11-12

English Prize -	Juliette Gundy
Economics (OAC)	Sarah Glinski
French (OAC)	Sarah Mayes
Keary-Taylor Prize for Drama -	Sarah Mayes
Art -	Jehanne Jooste
Mathematics -	Véronique French
Chemistry -	Sandra Quiros Navas
History -	Jennifer Fannin
Latin (OAC) -	Jenny Fannin
Law (OAC) -	Dena Roberts
Heacock Creativity Prize for Art -	Stephanie Russell
Whitwill Senior History Prize (OAC) -	Vicky Kellett
Jadwige Basinski Scholarship in the Arts -	Vicky Kellett
in the Sciences -	Natalie Gandilo
Lieutenant Governor's Medal for the Highest Achievement in Grade 12 -	Natalie Gandilo

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Elizabeth Davis Prize for English -	Christina Gandilo
Carolynn Strauss Cup for Poetry -	Trudy Davies
Choir Prize -	Tara Chauhan
French -	Christina Gandilo
Mathematics -	Christina Gandilo
Science with special mention in Physics/Biology -	Christina Gandilo
Lorna Harwood-Jones Cup for Classics -	Swathi Kappagantula and Monica Singhal
Physics -	Swathi Kappagantula
PHE -	Kim Schryburt
Music -	Alexandra Woloschuk
Philpot Science Prize -	Kim Schryburt
Computer Science -	Allison Russell
Accounting -	Agnes Wong
McKee Fine Arts Cup -	Agnes Wong
Mitchell Thomas Prize -	Christina Gandilo and Kathleen Terroux
Margaret White Cup -	Michelle Johnson
Old Girls' House Motto Prize -	Renée London
House Head Awards - FRY	Jocelynne St. Jacques
- KELLER	Allison Russell
- NIGHTINGALE	Cameron Blott
- WILSON	Monica Singhal
Governor General's Medal for the Highest Achievement in Grade 13 -	Christina Gandilo
All-Round Contribution to School Life -	Alexandra Woloschuk
Ewing Cup for Character -	Christina Gandilo
PHILPOT TOKEN -	Tara Chauhan
SUMMA SUMMARUM -	Kim Schryburt

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PENNY & CHRIS...as we bid you both farewell

we realize it 's just not going to be the same without the two of you! If there ever was a study in opposites I guess we have it here...the calm, cool and controlled presence of Penny with her wit and wisdom pronounced from behind the "safety" of her far-away desk AND the extravagant enthusiasm of Chris that just sweeps you up into her many "fantastic" productions! The sweet and serene (!!!) or the strenuous and the stressful which would it be...whichever... the humor and the drama are going to be dearly missed!!!

Penny...your cordial and supportive co-operation has provided an unfailingly positive image of Elmwood to the Staff, Students, Parents and Friends of the School. The friendly and energetic attitude that greets every visitor to the "Offecce" goes a long way in establishing the impression that people take away from Elmwood...your kind-hearted professionalism will be missed!

Chris...your artistic and dramatic flair have changed the expectations of the Elmwood Community forever. So often during the Intermissions of your "Productions" the Audience has been heard to praise the professionalism of the entire creative experience that they have become a part of right from the raising of the curtain.

EDITOR'S PAGE

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Dear Sarah and Susie,
I can't seem to find the keys to the Editor's Room . . . you don't have any idea where they are, do you? By the way, I also seem to have mislaid the photocopies of the Plaid . . . I'm sure I left them in the Computer Room . . . maybe Mr. Campbell moved them! Can you tell Jenny to relax as we have no more work for her to do . . . WE'RE DONE . . . ha, ha, ha . . . at least, I'm done my part (?) before you two!!! So, how about doing my write-up for the Editor's Page I have to go to Camp, so, maybe I'm not completely done but I have to leave Sunday so maybe by Friday? Maybe I will finish at your house and then I can bring it in on Sunday . . . oops, that you can bring it in on Sunday! See ya!!!

Love Robin.

Dear Robin and Susie,
I'm sure I'll be seeing you Monday . . . you will be carrying Natalie's and my luggage (slave). Well, you are indebted to me for typing your write-up . . . and I WAS finished before you by a good 1/2 hour! I'm getting slightly frustrated by certain missing photographs . . . I won't mention that we have a TOTAL of five (5) Grad photos. I know you are going to thank me for recopying the lost plaid because you LOST it!!! At least I admitted I lost the key to the Editor's Room . . . it took awhile but I finally did! I just gave Jenny more work to do . . . two more features so maybe we can finish before we leave for Camp! Work and food are her two passions! I want to wish Jenny and Johanna GOOD LUCK next year . . . you'll need it!!! Don't worry, we'll be there to help with the complaints and the late nights. Mr. and Mrs. McCabe must be thanked for putting up with us, our lack of communication, independent ideas and the FEW problems with procrastination!

Love Sarah

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Dear Robin and Sarah,
Sure guys, go away to Camp and leave us to clean up the confusion! But that's OK because I'm finished the photos for the year! Don't worry about the Grad Nite photos it was only a small miscalculation of chemicals and I've got it corrected! Even though we have had our problems over ideas and avenues of communication it was good working with the two of you! Thanks! I also want to point out that we would not have made it without the patience and understanding of Mr. and Mrs. McCabe. I think that Jenny and Johanna deserve a medal for putting up with us for the whole year . . . they have been so loyal! I wish them all the best for next year and hope you both have a relaxing Summer/Fall as YOUR Yearbook task is rapidly approaching. All my best,

Love Susie